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Perambulation of the Town Lines between

Marlborough and Southborough Mass.

Pursuant to the Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, we John Dalton and Marcus M. Multer, by order of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Marlborough, and the Selectmen of the Town of Southborough, met on the eighth and twenty first days of October A.D. 1910, and preambulated the line between our respective towns as follows, viz:

Commencing at a Stone Monument marked F.-M.- and S.-, standing near the Northerly side of the highway leading from Marlborough to North Framingham, and marking the corner of the towns of Framingham and Southborough and the city of Marlborough; thence in a Westerly direction to a Stone Monument on the Easterly side of the Sudbury Reservoir; thence to a Stone Monument standing on an island in the said Sudbury Reservoir; thence in a Westerly direction to a stone monument standing on the Easterly side of the highway near Acre Bridge; thence in the same direction, (a continuation of the last named line) to a stone Monument standing on the Westerly side of Maple Street, near Marlborough Junction; thence on a continuation of the last named line to a Stone Monument standing on the Westerly side of the highway leading from Marlborough to Westborough and near the house of John E. Stratton; thence on the same last named line to a Stone Bound marking an angle, near the house of Addington Brigham; thence Westerly to a Stone Monument standing on the Westerly side of the road leading

from West Marlborough, to Westborough, near the house of Martin Roach; thence Westerly to a Stone Monument standing on a hill in the pasture of the said Martin Roach; thence Westerly to a Stone Monument on the Westerly side of the highway leading from Northborough to Southborough and near the house of Woodbury Kennison; and thence continuing the last course to a Stone Monument marked M.--N--&S--, standing at the corner of the towns of Northborough and Southborough and the City of Marlborough.

The foregoing Monuments we found, marked, and left in good condition.

John Dalton
Marcus M. Multer
} Representing the City of Marlborough By order of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy Attest:
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southboro Mar. 13, 1911

To Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following named persons were appointed as Election Officers to serve at the Annual Town Meeting to be held Monday Mar. 6 1911.

Edward J Collins
W Harrington
A.E. Wright
W.J. O'Neil
Jos A. O'Leary
Chas E Bagley
Lyman Tollensby
Andrew R. Sullivan

Yours truly
Chas. H. Newton
Clerk Bd. Selectmen

Mess. Collins & Bagley become candidates for election to Town offices so were unable to serve. The Selectmen appointed in their places Henry M. Rogers and Adoniram J. Newton.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Warrant for Annual March Meeting 1911.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester S.S.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Monday the sixth day of March A.D. 1911 at nine of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to take action on the following Articles, viz:

Art. 1 To choose a moderator to preside in said Meeting.

Art. 2 To choose all necessary Town Officers and Committees.

The vote for Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, Selectmen, Assessor, Overseer of the Poor, School Committee, Town House Committee, Cemetery Commissioner, Trustees of the Fay Library, Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden and Constables to be on one ballot.

The Polls will be open for the election of Officers at nine fifteen O'Clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two thirty o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

The following officers to be chosen by ballot Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, Selectman for three years, Assessor for three years, One member of the School Committee for three years, one Overseer of the Poor for three years Tree Warden, Highway Surveyor, Three members of the Town House Committee,

one Cemetery Commissioner for three years, Constables, and seven Trustees of the Jay Library.

Art. 3 To vote by ballot Yes or No on granting license for the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Art. 4 To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Art. 5 To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the legitimate use of the town and make appropriations of the same.

Art. 6 To hear the report of the Trustees of the Jay Library and do or act thereon.

Art. 7 To determine the manner of collecting the taxes for the ensuing year, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Art. 8 To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to hire such sums of money as may be necessary for the towns use, and pass any vote respecting the same.

Art. 9 To see if the Town will authorize its Collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Art. 10 To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog Money, and pass any vote respecting the same.

Art. 11 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the Town, and prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town, or do or act thereon.

Art. 12 To see what action the Town will take to suppress the illegal Sale of intoxicating liquors or pass any vote respecting the same.

Art. 13 To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars, to be expended by Post 44 Grand Army of the Republic for defraying the expenses of Memorial Day and decorating and repairing Soldiers graves.

Art. 14 To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifty dollars to be expended by Post 44 Grand Army of the Republic in accordance with section 15 Chapter 25 of the Revised Laws, and pass any vote respecting the same.

Art. 15 To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money necessary for Street Lighting, and pass any vote respecting the same.

Art. 16 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract for lighting any street or road not now provided with lights or pass any vote or votes respecting lighting of Streets, Roads, or Ways.

Art. 17 To hear the report of the Committee appointed to investigate needs of a foot way under the Boston and Albany Rail Road at Southville, and pass any vote respecting said foot way or the report of said Committee.

Art. 18 To see if the Town will appropriate a Sum of Money for transporting Books from the Fay Library to the villages of Southville and Cordaville or do or act thereon.

Art. 19 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General Court

in all matters regarding taxation, and to employ counsel as may be necessary to protect the interests of the Town, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Art. 20 To see if the Town will appropriate any sum of money unexpended by any Special Appropriation of last year, if needed to complete any work or purpose for which such appropriation was made.

Art. 21 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell the land formerly used for School purpose in District number Five, and cause deeds and other papers necessary to convey the same or pass any vote respecting said land.

Art. 22 To see if the Town will choose a Committee to investigate the need of a new School Building in the South part of the town, and if advisable to procure plans and estimates of probable cost of such building, and land if necessary for the same or do or act thereon.

Art. 23 To see if the Town will grant the free use of the Town House to any of the Public Schools or to any class of any Public School, or pass any vote respecting free use of the Town House or charges for the use of the same.

Art. 24 To see if the Town will vote to discontinue a small section of Deerfoot Road at its intersection with Main Street at a point east of and adjoining the Parker house lot of the Joseph Burnett estate, or do or act thereon.

Art. 25 To see what action the Town will take regarding the claim of John Sealey for alleged damage to his property by drainage of Hewlon Street.

Art. 26 To see what action the Town will take regarding the claim of C. B Yawin & Son for alleged damage to their property by drainage of Boston Road.

Art. 27 To see what action the Town will take regarding a building in Jaqville for the use of Post 44 Grand Army of the Republic, the Fire Department and as a Public Hall, on a plan to be submitted by the George Wesley Nichols Building Association, and to appropriate money for the same.

Art. 28 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Trustees of the Jay Library to establish a branch Library in any of the Villages

Art. 29 To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to employ a caretaker for the Swimming Pool and pass any vote respecting the same and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Art. 30 To see if the Town will vote to construct Sidewalks on any Street or Road, or repair or reconstruct any Sidewalk on any Street or Road, or do or act thereon.

Art. 31 To see if the Town will instruct the Highway Surveyor to gravel and repair Highland Street from its intersection with Parkerville Road to a point near the Catholic Church, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Art. 32 To see if the Town will vote to establish a voting precinct in the South part of the town and allow the use of the Southville Hall to the voters of Southville and Cordaville, at State Elections, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Art: 33 To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars for Band Concerts or pass any vote respecting the same.

Art. 34 To see if the Town will instruct the Highway Surveyor to grade A Street and appropriate a sum of money therefor or do or act thereon.

Art. 35 To see if the Town will instruct the Highway Surveyor to widen a portion of Turnpike Road between the house of Moses A. Fay and the house of Mrs. A. E. Bacon, and appropriate a sum of money therefor or do or act thereon.

Art. 36 To see if the Town will instruct the Highway Surveyor to grade a portion of Upland Road and appropriate a sum of money therefor or do or act thereon.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Store and Post Office in Southboro Center, at the Post Office in Fayville at the Post Office in Cordaville, and at the Post Office in Southville, eight days at least before the time set for said Meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southboro Enterprise.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twentieth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true Copy Attest:
Chas H Newton
Town clerk

Southborough March 7th 1911

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting up an attested copy thereof at the Store and Post Office in Southboro Center.
at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville and at the Post Office in Southville, eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and have caused the same to be published in the Southboro Enterprise

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true Copy Attest;
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Annual March Meeting 1911

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the legal voters of the Town of Southborough met in the Town Hall at nine oclock in the forenoon of March 6

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk who read the call, it was then voted to dispense with reading the articles in the Warrant, the Clerk also read the officers return of the Warrant.

The ballot clerks and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of William Harrington, A. E. Wright, W. J. O'Neil, Jos. A. O'Leary, Lyman Follensby, Andrew R. Sullivan, Henry M. Rogers and Adoniram J. Newton, were qualified by the Town Clerk, To be assigned by the Moderator to the various tables as needed.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exit from the Polls, and under,

Art. 1 Sell H. Howes was elected Moderator.

An attested check list was delivered to the Ballot Clerks and another to the Tellers.

A Package supposed to contain 500 Official Ballots was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Moderator and his receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was opened by the Moderator and publicly shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked by Constable Chas. C. Smith, who retained the key.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 0 0 and the Moderator declared the Polls open at 9-15 A. M.

Art. 4 The reports of the various Town Officers were acted upon and accepted.

The Auditors Report as a whole was then acted upon and accepted.

Art. 5 Voted by a rising vote forty one in favor and none against to raise the sum of $40,875.82 Forty thousand eight hundred seventy-five dollars and eighty two cents, And that the same be assessed upon the estates within the Town to pay town debts and charges and that the same be appropriated as follows:—

Voted to appropriate for Schools and Incidentals	$11,000.00
Voted to appropriate for Support of Poor	2,500.00
Art 36 Voted to appropriate for Highways	3,500.00
Voted to appropriate for Salaries	2,250.00
Voted to appropriate for Street Lighting	4,500.00
Voted to appropriate for Contingent Fund	3,000.00
Voted to appropriate for Tree Warden	1,000.00
Voted to appropriate for Snow Bills	300.00
Voted to appropriate for State Aid & Soldiers Relief	400.00
Voted to appropriate for Cemeteries	300.00
Voted to appropriate for Town House Committee	250.00
Voted to appropriate for Maintainance Fire Department	850.00
Voted to appropriate for Memorial Day	100.00
Voted to appropriate for G.A.R. Relief Fund	50.00
Voted to appropriate for Liquor Sale Suppression	150.00
Voted to appropriate for care of Swimming Pool	250.00
Voted to appropriate for Play Grounds	100.00
Voted to appropriate for Transportation of Library Books	100.00
Voted to appropriate for Common & Town House Committee	150.00
Voted to appropriate for Firemen's Services	500.00
See Arts 30 & 5? Voted to appropriate for Permanent Improvements — Sidewalks	2,000.00
See Arts. 24, 31, 34, 35. Voted to appropriate for Permanent Improvements — Roads	2,000.00
See Art. 20 Voted to appropriate for Fence on Parkerville Road	125.82
See Art 22 Voted to appropriate for Bond & Zoville School Building Com.	500.00
See Art 27 Voted to appropriate for Public Building Payroll	5,000.00
Total	$40,875.82

See Art. 10 Voted to Appropriate the Dog Money { 1/2 to School, 1/2 to Fay Library }

Art 5 Cont. Voted that of the $2,000.- appropriated and intended for Permanent Improvements on Sidewalks, that: at least one half be used to build a concrete sidewalk from N.Y. N.H. & H. R.R. Station to Town Hall under the direction of the Selectmen and the Highway Surveyor.

Under this Article the Appropriation Committee appointed at the Caucus made a report which was accepted, and a vote of thanks was extended to them therefor.

Voted that the Assessors be authorized to deduct the amounts received from the Mass. Hospital Life Ins. Co. 3% from Street Railways, in addition to the Bank and Corporation Tax before the Tax rate is established.

Art. 6 No action taken under this article, as the Report of the Trustees had been accepted under the Auditors Report.

Art. 7 Voted, that all poll taxes in Southborough the present year be payable on demand, and that all single poll taxes not paid sixty days after having been put into the hands of the Collector, shall be put into the hands of a Constable for Collection.

All other taxes to be paid before the first Monday in December 1911, if not then paid interest at the rate of six per cent per annum shall be added until paid, if not paid by the first Monday in January 1912, the Collector is instructed to collect the same according to law, Provided that there shall be discounted from any Tax Bill other than poll taxes, paid before December first and after July thirty first, an amount equal to six per cent per annum for each whole month it is so paid before Dec. first.

Art. 8 Voted, That the town treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate Ten thousand dollars, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

By a rising vote 50 in favor, none against.

Art. 9 Voted, to authorize the Collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Art. 10 Voted, to appropriate half the Dog money, ~~half~~ to the Schools and half to the Ray Library. (See Appropriations)

Art. 11 Voted, to authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the Town, and prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town,

Art. 12 Voted, to leave the matter of the Suppression of the sale of intoxicating liquors in the hands of the Selectmen.

Art. 13 Action taken under appropriations.

Art. 14 Action taken under appropriations.

Art. 15 Action taken under appropriations.

Art. 16 Voted, to leave in the hands of the Selectmen with powers to act.

Art. 17 Voted, to accept the report of the Committee, and to give them more time.

Following is their report:

The Committee on Subway at Southville unanimously in favor of a Subway

under the tracks of the Boston and Albany R.R. at Northville, but deem it inexpedient to take any action at the present time.

signed Paul L. Lincoln for the Committee.

Art. 18 Voted, (After much discussion, in which the chair was sustained on a point of order), that the appropriation of $100.— stand and that the work be carried on as before.

Art. 19 Voted, to authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General Court in all matters regarding taxation and to employ counsel as may be necessary to protect the interest of the Town.

Art. 20 Voted, to appropriate $125.82 in addition to the $74.18 unexpended balance, from last year, making a total of $200.— and that the Highway Surveyor be instructed to build a good, substantial picket fence of legal height, pickets to be close together and the whole fence to be properly painted, near the house of Benj F. Prentiss.

43 in favor } Rising vote
None against }

Art. 21 Voted, to authorize the Selectmen to sell the land formerly used for School purposes in District number Five, for a nominal sum, and cause deeds and other papers to be executed necessary to convey the same to E. Chester Wells.

Art. 22 Voted, to leave in hands of a committee, consisting of the School Committee, and two other members, who shall be appointed by the Chair, one from Haydenville, and one from Cordaville Said committee to report at a special Meeting of the Town

not later than June 1 1911. and that $500.- be appropriated therefor.

53 voters voted in favor } Rising Vote
none against }

Chair- appointed A. E. Wright and John J. Henderson

Art. 23 Voted, to grant the free use of the Town Hall to the Senior class of the Peters High School, not exceeding three evenings, other than Saturday evening in addition to what they now have.

Art. 24 Voted, to discontinue a small section of Deerfoot Road at its intersection with Main Street at a point east of and adjoining the Parker house lot of Joseph Burnett Est., in conformity to a plan submitted by Jas. F. Bigelow C.E., and that the Highway Surveyor be instructed to make the necessary changes, money for same to be taken from permanent improvement fund.

Arts. 25 & 26 Voted, that the claims under Arts 25 and 26, and Mr. Outhanks claim which was left out of the Warrant, be referred to a Committee of three, consisting of

Chas. F. Choate Jr.
The Elected Highway Surveyor &
Chairman of the Board of Selectmen.

Who shall report at a special Town Meeting Not later than June 1, 1911.

Art. 27 Voted, that a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars, be raised and appropriated for the purpose of erecting a suitable building on the land as offered by the Geo. Wesley Nichols Building Association in Fayville for Public use, for the Fire Department and for the free use of the Grand Army of the Republic. And that a Committee of three be chosen with full power to contract for and erect said building

and to repair or reconstruct the present Engine house, as may be deemed necessary, also that out of said sum, said Committee shall pay the Mortgage on said land.

Ten voters voted in favor } Rising vote
None against

Following is the bequest as submitted by Mr. Francis Wright of Fayville:

"The Geo. Wesley Nichols Building Association hereby offer to convey to the Town of Southborough the brick building at the corner of Central St and Grove St. in Fayville, now rented by the Town for its Fire Department, together with so much land as may be required to erect thereon a building, for the use of the Citizens & The Fire Department, on conditions that the Town shall assume and pay the Mortgage of four hundred and fifty dollars, now held by the estate of J. H. Robinson, and shall give to Post 44 Grand Army of the Republic, the free use of the Hall so long as said Post shall exist."

The Committee chosen to carry out this vote were, A. E. Wright, John McCarthy and Josiah True.

Art 28 All motions put under this article were lost.

Art 29 Voted, that the Selectmen be authorized to employ a caretaker for the Swimming Pool in the future.

Voted, that the caretaker shall also be an instructor in swimming as well as a caretaker.

Art. 30 Voted, to build a sidewalk from School House on Oak Hill to Mr Golf's house

on Oak Hill

43 voters voted in favor by a rising vote
none against

Art. 31 Voted to expend $400.— from $2000.— intended for permanent improvements, and instructed the Highway Surveyor to carry out the work.
as app.

Art. 32 Voted, to leave in the hands of the Selectmen.

Art. 33 Passed the Article

Art. 34 Voted, to instruct the Highway Surveyor to grade A Street and to take $200.— from Permanent Improvement fund for Highways.

Art. 35 Voted, to appropriate $150.— from Permanent Improvement Fund to carry out the purpose of this Article.

Art. 36 Voted, to instruct the Highway Surveyor to grade a portion of Upland Road, and to take the money from the Highway Appropriation.

At 2-45 it was voted to close the Polls at 3-30

At 3 O'clock all the Election officers and the Moderator being agreed it was voted to take 150 ballots from the Ballot Box and begin the canvass, the constable unlocking and again locking the Ballot Box so that voting might continue.

At 3-30 the Polls were voted closed.

The Ballot Clerks check list and the Tellers check list on which were checked the names of those who had voted, were counted aloud, and on each list were counted 196 names checked.

The register on the Ballot Box showed 0196

The Ballot Box was again unlocked by the constable and 46 ballots taken out

making a total of 196
The unused ballots were sealed without counting
The New Ballot Box worked correctly.

The Ballots were counted as required by law and public declaration made as follows:

Art. 2 For Town Clerk
Chas. H. Newton had one hundred seventy-nine votes
17 blanks

For Town Treasurer
Waldo B. Fay had one hundred seventy one votes
J. E. O'Leary had one vote
24 blanks

For Collector of Taxes
S 3/11 De Clinton Nichols had one hundred sixty-four votes
32 blanks

For Selectman
S 3/10 John D. Burnett had one hundred seventy-seven votes
19 blanks

For Assessor
sworn Mar. 6 by {C. H. N. / [illegible] clerk
Edward F. Collins had one hundred seventy-two votes
24 blanks

For Overseer of Poor
Paul S. Lincoln had one hundred sixty-six votes
30 blanks

For School Committee
S 3/10 Frederick A. Flichtner had one hundred sixty-two votes
34 blanks

For Town House Committee
S 3/11 De C Nichols had one hundred sixty-one votes
P. M. Salmon had one hundred fifty-seven votes
Horace E. Wheeler had one hundred fifty-three votes
117 blanks

Art 2 Con.

For Cemetery Commissioner

Adelbert C. Collins had one hundred fifty-eight votes

38 blanks

For Constables

S 3/13 William Duncan had one hundred fifty-three votes

Chas. C. Hildreth had one hundred fifty-seven votes

Daniel F. Kelley had one hundred forty eight votes

Francis D. Newton had one hundred fifty-two votes

174 blanks

For Auditor

S 3/11 Thos E. Waldron had one hundred sixty-two votes

34 blanks

For Highway Surveyor

Silas G. Allen had fifty seven votes

William A. Gould had one hundred twenty-nine votes

10 blanks

For Tree Warden

Harry Burnett had one hundred forty votes

56 blanks

For Trustees of Day Library

Henry F. Day Honorary had one hundred fifty three votes

Mrs Abbe W Newton had one hundred fifty three votes

Rev A. M. Rockwood had one hundred fifty two votes

Chas. E. Bagley had one hundred fifty five votes

Paul S Lincoln had one hundred fifty four votes

Rev Robert F. Cheney had one hundred fifty-one votes

Chas. L. Fairbanks had one hundred fifty five votes

Rev Jos J Darrell had one vote

there were 298 blanks

Art 2. The following Officers were elected by nominations

Con:

Measurers of Wood and Bark

Paul S Lincoln S 3/4 De Clinton Nichols S 3/4 Harry A. McMaster
Marcus Jackson Francis Wright

Surveyors of Lumber

C. A. Parmenter De Clinton Nichols

Public Weighers

Francis Wright S 11/13 Thos. Fitzgerald Chas. B. Sawin
S 3/4 Harry A. McMaster S 3/4 De Clinton Nichols Paul S. Lincoln
S 3/4 John J. Henderson

Field Drivers

George Allen

Pound Keeper

Henry Newlon.

Fence Viewers

Charles F. Leland Frederick P. Ellerson Newell Bent
S 1/2 Thos. P. Lindsay Geo. H. Burnett

Art 3 For license to sell intoxicating liquors.

Yes	67
No	95
Blanks	34

The ballots, check lists, and tally sheets, were tied in packages, properly signed and sealed as by law required, and it was voted to dissolve the meeting.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southboro Mar. 6 1911

This is to certify that the following named persons were this day qualified before the Moderator:

Chas. H. Newton as Town Clerk

Chas. W. Hildreth, Daniel F. Kelley, Francis D. Newton } as Constables

Paul L. Lincoln { as Overseer of the Poor, as Measurer of Wood and Bark, as Public Weigher

Chas. H. Newton

Town Clerk

B. & W. St. Ry. Co.
Police Officers
Revoked

To the Clerk of the Town of Southboro:

In accordance with the provisions of Sec. 51 of Chapter 463 of the Acts of 1906 relative to the term of office of Street Railway Police officers, you are hereby notified that this Company has ceased to require the service as such officer of:

Chester W. Drake,	formerly of	Bishop St.	So Framingham
Israel A. Tredo,	"	" Worcester St.	Framingham
Maxham C. Nash,	"	" 15 Lexington St.	So Framingham
N. F. Place,	"	Cedar St.	Wellesley
F. R. Mudgett,	"	Rockland St.	"
H. D. Butterfield,	"	Worcester St.	"
Joseph Opray,	"	Cedar St.	"
F. A. Goeed,	"	Cedar St.	"
H. W. McKay,	"	87 Maple St.	Marlboro
F. A. Rougeau,	"	26 River St.	"
J. E. Fitzpatrick,	"	Park St.	Westboro
W. Hanson,	"	Belmont St.	"
J. W. McKeage,	"	Grove St.	"
W. B. Stout,	"	Cedar St.	Wellesley
Earnest D. Metcalf,	"	Salem St.	Framingham
W. H. Wadsworth,	"	Cedar St.	Wellesley

who were duly appointed by the Selectmen of the Town of Framingham on the 14th day of Feb 1907.

Also:

Walter A. Savoie,	formerly of	Bells Row	Wellesley
Edgar F. Lovered,	" "	Cedar St.	"
Frank E. Mann,	" "	" "	"
Thomas F. Fogarty,	" "	120 Shawmut Ave	Boston
Frank L. Bailey	" "	86 Walnut St.	Natick

who were duly appointed by the Selectmen of the Town of Framingham on the 27th day of January 1910, attested copies of the record of which appointments were duly filed with you.

You are further notified that we have requested the said Selectmen to revoke their appointments as such officers and that their powers as such officers hereby cease

Dated Jan. 5, 1911
So Framingham Mass.

Boston & Worcester St Ry Co.
By E. P. Shaw Jr
General Superintendent

Wellesley Officers Revoked

Town of Framingham

Office of the Board of Selectmen.

Whereas the Boston and Worcester Street Railway Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the Commonwealth, operating a street railway in Framingham, have petitioned the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Framingham to revoke the appointment of Street Railway Police of the persons designated in said petition as the services as such officers are no longer required of said persons, the Board at a meeting held Feb. 23 rd. 1911, grant the prayer of the Petitioner, and according to the provisions of Section 51 of Chapter 463 of the Acts of 1906 revoke the appointment as such officer of the following:

Harry W. Holbrook,	46 Hastings St.	Wellesley
Frank L. Dearborn,	Cedar St.	"
William M. Powers, formerly of Thos. B. Quinn,	Belmont St.	Westborough
	Fremont St.	Boston
Everett F. Hastings,	120 Shawmut Ave,	Boston
John D. McLeod,	Cedar St.	Wellesley
Richard J. Reeley,	Cedar St.	"
Geo. W. Gilbert,	Otis St.	Westborough
John W. Sharp,	Cedar St.	Wellesley
Wm. E. Johnson,	South St.	Westborough
John S. Kelley,	61 Hastings	Wellesley
Walter E. Hebbard,	200 Cedar St.	"
Charles R. Horne,	39 Salem End Road	Framingham
James G. Miller,	19 Howard St.	Natick
John F. Clark,	190 Cedar St.	Wellesley
Frank W. Peckham,	22 Prospect St.	Westborough
Geo. A. Libby,	33 Winter St.	Framingham
Edward P. Shaw Jr.,	219 Lincoln St.	Newton Highlands
Milan V. Ayres,	122 Lincoln St.	" "
Francis L. O'Brien,	20 Union Ave.	So. Framingham
Joseph Johnson,	14 Winthrop St.	" "
Alfred D. Neale,	Hastings St.	Wellesley
James A. Haskins,	Hastings St.	"

who were duly appointed by the Board on the twenty-seventh day of January 1910, also.

E. Stewart McLean,	Cedar St.	Wellesley
Walter F. Stapleton,	Cross St.	Framingham
Joseph H. Hearn,	ff Cochituate Road	Framingham
Oliver G. Hoyt.	Cedar St.	Wellesley
John A. Furber	Cochituate Road	Framingham
H. Frank Sears	Worcester St.	Framingham
Howard A. Snow	20 Harrison St.	Natick
Thomas F. McCabe	Cedar St.	Wellesley
Wm W. Patten,	Cedar St.	Wellesley
Charles W. Newbegin	Hastings St.	Wellesley
Raymond S. Forgett	Cedar St.	Wellesley
Irving F. Goodwin	Howard St,	Natick
Chas F. Lovelance	Oakland St.	Wellesley
Edward L. Lyons,	18 Claremont St.	Boston
Frank E. Smith	45 Maple St.	Marlboro
Lester E. Smith	4 Sawin St.	Natick
Edward Lavelle	5 Mill St.	Marlborough
Edward C. Whitney	5 Madison St.	Marlborough
Eugene Closson	17 Chestnut St.	Marlborough
Charles D. Ladd	14 Chestnut St.	Marlborough
John P. Colleary	4 Dow Place	Marlborough
Phillip H. Carroll	Concord St.	So Framingham
Luther J. Sawyer	Park St.	Westborough
Aubrey B. Mack	Worcester St.	Framingham
Patrick C. Mooney	81 South St.	Westborough

who were duly appointed by the Board on the fourteenth day of February 1907

Roger H. O'Brien
Elmer E. Spaulding } Selectmen of Framingham
William H. Walsh

A true copy of record
Attest:
Frank E. Hemenway
Clerk of Selectmen

A true copy of Copy
Attest: Chas. H. Hewins
Town Clerk

Town of Framingham
Office of the Board of Selectmen

Whereas the Boston and Worcester Street Railway Company, a corporation duly organized under the Laws of the Commonwealth, and operating a Street Railway in Framingham, have petitioned the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Framingham for the appointment of the persons designated in said petition as Street Railway Police such appointments to be made under chapter 463, Section 49, Acts and Resolves of 1906, the Board at a meeting held February 23rd, 1911, grant the prayer of the petitioner and appoint the following as Street Railway Police with the powers and under the regulations as set forth in Sections 50-51-52-53-54-55 Chapter 463 Acts and Resolves of 1906

Harry W. Holbrook	45 Hastings St.	Wellesley
Frank L. Dearborn	Cedar St.	"
Thos. B. Devine	1605 Tremont St.	Boston
Everett F. Hastings	Car House	Westboro
John D. McLeod	Cedar St.	Wellesley
Richard J. Feeley	Cedar St.	Wellesley
Walter G. Stapelton	Worcester St.	Framingham
John E. Collins	Worcester St.	Framingham
John A. Furber	Cochituate Rd	" "
H. Frank Sears	Worcester St.	" "
Raymond D. Forgate	Cedar St.	Wellesley
Edward Lavelly	5 Mill St.	Marlboro
Edwin C. Whitney	5 Madison St.	"
Charles D. Todd	14 Chestnut	"
John P. Colleary	3 Doe Place	"
Phillip H. Carroll	Concord St.	So Framingham
Luther J. Sawyer	Park St.	Westboro
Aubrey B. Mack	Worcester St.	Framingham
Patrick C. Mooney	81 South St.	Westboro
Edward P. Shaw Jr.	719 Lincoln St	Newton Highlands
Lester E. Smith	4 Sawin St.	Natick
Edward L. Lyons	18 Claremont St.	Boston
Milan V. Ayres	122 Lincoln St.	Newton Highlands
Howard A. Snow	20 Harrison St.	Natick

Alfred D. Neale		Cedar St	Wellesley
John W. Sharp		Cedar St.	Wellesley
Fuller B. Hebbard	200	Cedar St.	Wellesley
James G. Mills	19	Howard St.	Natick
Charles E Lovelace		Oakland St.	Wellesley
John S. Kelley	61	Hastings St	Wellesley
Geo. A. Libbey	33	Winter St	Framingham
John F. Clark	190	Cedar St	Wellesley
W. W. Patten		Cedar St.	Wellesley
Jos. H. Hearn		Hastingsville	Framingham
Charles W. Newbegin		Cedar St.	Wellesley
Frank E. Smith	45	Maple St.	Marlborough
Irving F. Goodwin		Howard St.	Natick
James E. Haskins		Hunnewell St	Wellesley
Thos. F. McCabe		Cedar St	Wellesley
E. Stewart McLean		Cedar St	Wellesley
Wm. E. Johnson	South	~~Cedar~~ St	Westboro
Oscar H. Moody		Cedar St	Wellesley
Albert J. Watson		Cedar St	Wellesley
Geo. E. Brown		Worcester St	Wellesley
James F. Sullivan		Bella Lane	Wellesley
James A. Petterson		Cedar St	Wellesley
John C. Horgan	543	Heath St.	Brookline
John J. McDonald	122	Boylston St.	Brookline
Frank W. Woodruff	548	Heath St.	Brookline
James L. Shanks	47	River St	Hudson
Charles R. Horne	39	Salem End Rd	Framingham
Daniel M. Crockett		Cedar St.	Wellesley
Francis L. O'Bryan	20	Union Ave.	So Framingham
Joseph Johnson	14	Winthrop St	So Framingham
John F. Stover		Donazetta St	Wellesley
Oliver G. Hoyt		Cedar St.	Wellesley

A true copy of Record
Attest:
Frank E Hemenway
Clerk to Selectmen

Roger H. O'Brien
Elmer E. Spaulding
William H. Welch
} Selectmen of Framingham

A copy of Copy
Attest:
Chas H. Newton
Town Clerk

Middlesex SS Town of Framingham

Personally appeared before me the following named persons

H. Frank Sears	Worcester St.	Framingham
Edwin L. Whitney	5 Madison St.	Marlborough
John F. Colleary	3 Dow Place	Marlborough
Philip H. Carroll	Concord St.	So Framingham
Luther J. Sawyer	Park St.	Westborough
Aubrey B. Mack	Worcester St.	Framingham
Edward L. Lyons	18 Claremont St.	Boston
Charles E. Lovelace	Oakland St.	Wellesley
John A. Kelley	61 Hastings	Wellesley
Joseph H. Hearn	Hastingsville	Framingham
Frank E. Smith	45 Maple St	Marlborough
Irving F. Goodwin	Howard St	Natick
E. Stewart McLean	Cedar St.	Wellesley
Joseph Johnson	14 Winthrop St.	Wellesley
John F. Stover	Donazetty St	Wellesley

who were duly appointed by the Selectmen of Framingham on the 23rd day of February 1911 as Street Railway Police Officers for the Boston and Worcester Street Railway Company and were severally duly sworn before me as such street railway police officers in accordance with Sec. 51 of Chapter 463 of the Acts of 1906

Signed

Frank E. Hemenway

Justice of the Peace

Dated Mar. 2, 1911

A copy Attest:

Chas. H. Newton

Town Clerk

The New York New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.

New Haven Conn., Mar. 1, 1911

To the Town Clerk

Southboro Mass.

Dear Sir:-

You are hereby notified, under provisions of Chapter 463, Acts of 1906, that this company has ceased to require the services of Charles Goodacre, as a railroad police officer; notice of whose appointment was sent you on or about April 21, 1910

S. Higgins

General Manager

A copy Attest:

Chas. H. Newton

Town Clerk

City of Boston

Police Department

Office of the Commissioner

Jan. 7, 1911

Police Commissioner O'Meara was at his office today and transacted the following business:

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The petition of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, a railroad corporation having a passenger station in this City, praying for the appointment of

Patrick W. McGovern

being a person in the employment of said railroad corporation, as a railroad police officer of and for said corporation, was acted upon; and upon said petition the person named therein, being a person in the employment of said corporation, was appointed a police officer to act as a railroad police officer of and for said

corporation for the purposes and with the powers set forth in Chapter 463 of the Acts of 1906 and Acts in addition thereto and amendatory thereof, to hold said office until said appointment is revoked according to law.

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The above is a true abstract from the records of the Police Commissioner of the City of Boston.

Attest:

Thomas Ryan

Chief Clerk, Police Department

A Copy Attest:

Chas. H. Newton

Town Clerk

Appointments 1911

Southborough Mass. Mar. 11 1911

To Chas. H. Newton Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

At a special meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day, the following appointments were made for the ensuing year:

	Chas. H. Newton	Clerk Bd of Selectmen at salary of $50.-
	George Cantillo	Burial Agent.
	William E. Barney	Agent Board of Health.
	James Stockwell	Weighers of Coal.
S. 3/30	Harry McMaster	
	Augustus E. Wright	
	Paul S. Lincoln	
S. 3/13	De C. Nichols	
S. 4/13	Thos. Fitzgerald	
S. 5/4	Edward C. Nichols	
	William Smiddy	Special Police for the protection of the waters of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board in the town of Southborough.
	L. M. Drew	
	Fred M. Dole	
	Marcus Jackson	Special Police without pay.
S. 3/11	John J. Burnett	
S. 3/28	Lyman Pollenby	
	Patrick McLoughlin	
	Chas. Jones	
	Martin H. Warner	
	Walter G. Mingo	Special Police without pay for protection St Marks School property
	Andrew Sellers	Special Police without pay for the estates of Chas. F. Choate Sr., Chas. F. Choate Jr., Mrs. S. C. Sears, Jos. Burnett Esq., Geo. P. Gardner.

John J Sealey — {Masonic Building Property / Special Police without pay

John J Flannery	Fire Warden	Southboro Center
Chas. C. Hildreth	" "	Fayville and East Part
William E. O'Neil	" "	Cordaville
John J. O'Brien	" "	Southville
Parker Ulman	" "	West Part

Voted: to appoint Harry Burnett Gypsy and Brown tail moth Agent.

Approved May 20 by F.W. Rane State Forester

Voted: to appoint Harry Burnett Forest Fire Warden.

9.3 1/3 Willard C. Simpson, Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Approved May 2 Fred N. Walker notified Apr. 7

S. 4 1/4 Silas G. Allen — Inspector of Animals at a salary of $200.—

notified Apr. 7

S. 4 1/4 Silas G. Allen — Inspector of Meats and Provisions at 40 cts per hour.

Very truly yours
Selectmen of Southboro
By Chas. H. Newton Clerk of Bd.

With ille ex cepteion of Silas G. Allen all were notified at once, in writing by me. W.W.

Appointments 1911

Southboro Mass. Apr. 7 1911

To Chas. H. Newton Town Clerk

Dear Sir:- At the regular meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following appointments were made:

Waldo A Fay Special Police with such pay as the Selectmen may determine,

Daniel F. Kelley Keeper of Lockup at a salary of $25— per year.

John Sealey Weigher of Coal.

Yours very truly
Selectmen of Southboro
By Chas. H. Newton Clerk of Bd.

Middlesex SS. Town of Framingham

Personally appeared before me the following persons on April 5th, 1911.

Frank W. Woodruf,	548 Heath St.,	Brookline.
John C. Horgan,	543 Heath St.,	Brookline.
James A. Peterson,	Cedar St.,	Wellesley.
John J. Mc Donald,	122 Boylston St.,	Brookline.
Daniel M. Crockett,	Cedar St.,	Wellesley.
Thos. B. Quinn,	1605 Tremont St.,	Boston.
Albert J. Watson,	Cedar St.,	Wellesley.
John F. Clark,	190 Cedar St.,	Wellesley.
Thos. F. McCabe,	Cedar St.,	Wellesley.
Richard J. Feeley,	Cedar St.,	Wellesley.
John A. Furber,	Cochituate Rd.,	Framingham.
W. E. Johnson,	South St.	Westborough.
Patrick C. Mooney,	81 South St.,	Westborough.
James L. Shanks,	47 River St.,	Hudson.
Milan V. Ayers,	128 Lincoln St.,	Newton Highlands
E. F. Hastings,	Car House	Westborough,

And on April 6th, 1911.

John D. McLoud,	Cedar St.,	Wellesley.
James G. Mills,	19 Howard St.,	Natick.
Walter E. Hebberd	200 Cedar St.,	Wellesley.
Frank L. Dearborn	Cedar St.,	Wellesley.
Harry W. Holbrook,	45 Hastings St.,	Wellesley.
Howard A. Snow,	20 Harrison St.,	Natick.
Alfred D. Neale,	Cedar St.,	Wellesley.
James A. Harkins,	Hunnewell.,	Wellesley.
Oscar H. Moody,	Cedar St.,	Wellesley.
Geo. E. Brown,	Worcester St.,	Wellesley.
James. G. Sullivan,	Bitts Lane	Wellesley.
John E. Collins,	Worcester St.	Framingham.
Geo. A. Libbey,	33 Winter St.	Framingham.
Chas. W. Newbegin,	Cedar St.	Wellesley.
John W. Sharp,	Cedar St.	Wellesley.
Lester E. Smith	4 Sawin St.,	Natick.
Walter H. Stapleton,	Worcester St.,	Framingham.
Chas. D. Ladd,	14 Chestnut St.,	Marlborough.
Edward Lavelle,	5 Mill St.,	Marlborough

And on April 7 1911.
Edward P. Shaw, Jr., 219 Lincoln St., Newton Highlands.

And on April 8 1911.
Oliver G. Hoyt Cedar St. Wellesley.

Who were duly appointed by the Selectmen of Framingham on the 28 rd. day of February 1911 as Street Railway Police Officers for the Boston and Worcester Street Railway Company and were severally duly sworn before me as such street railway police officers in accordance with Sec. 61 of Chapter 463 of the acts of 1906.

Signed
Frank E. Hemenway
Justice of the Peace.

Dated April 24 1911.

A copy Attest:
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

April 18, 1911.

Mr. F. D. Newton, Chairman
Board of Selectmen, Southboro, Mass.

Dear Sir: The Marlborough Electric Company respectfully petitions the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Southborough, for a location for 111 poles and wires thereon, and the necessary supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires, in the following named streets and highways :-

On Woodland Road commencing at the last light and extending to Parkerville Road, - location for 75 poles.

On Main Street commencing at the last light near Mr. Lindsay's residence and extending to the Worcester Consolidated Street Railway Co's tracks, - location for 23 poles.

On Brigham Street from the corner of Main St. to the tracks of the Worcester Consolidated Street Railway Co., - location for 10 poles.

On Newton Street from Framingham Road, - location for 3 poles to Cross Street.

The above poles are necessary in order to install street lights as follows :-

Woodland Road, 19 lights.

Main Street commencing at the residence of Mr. Lindsey to the tracks of the Worcester Consolidated St Railway, 7 lights.

Brigham Street from the corner of Main Street, 3 lights.

Corner of Cross and Newton Street, 1 light.

Total - 30 lights.

Yours very truly,
Marlborough Electric Co.,
By C. A. Davis, General Manager.

Notice

April 22nd, 1911.

All persons interested in the petition of the Marlborough Electric Company for permission

to erect poles, wires and fixtures on Woodland Road, Main Street, Brigham Street and Newton Street in the Town of Southborough, are hereby notified that the Selectmen will hear all persons who desire to be heard thereon at the Selectmen's room, in the Town house in said Southborough, on Friday, May 5th, next at eight o'clock P.M.

Francis W. Newton
John T. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

At Board of Selectmen
Southboro May 5th 1911

Upon the foregoing petition of the Marlborough Electric Co., for a location for 111 poles and wires thereon, and the necessary supporting and strengthening fixtures. After giving due notice of and holding a public hearing it was,

Voted: To grant the Marlborough Electric Co. a location for one hundred and eleven poles and wires thereon, and the necessary supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires.

Said company agrees to reserve space for one cross arm at the top of all of the above poles for telephone, fire alarm, and police signal wires, owned by the town and used for municipal purposes, said poles to be erected under the supervision of such officers as said town may designate.

Following are the streets and highways referred to:—

On Woodland Road commencing at the present last light and extending to Parkerville Road,— location for 75 poles.

On Main Street commencing at the last light near Mr. Lindsay's residence and extending to the Worcester Consolidated Street Railway Co's tracks,— location for 26 poles.

On Brigham Street from the corner of Main St. to the tracks of the Worcester Consolidated Street Railway Co. — location for 10 poles

On Newton Street from Framingham Road, — location for three poles to cross Street.

Signed Francis W. Newton, John T. Burnett, Paul S. Lincoln } Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy of Petition, Notice, and Grant.

Attest:
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough May 5 1911

To Chas. H. Newton Town Clerk,

Dear Sir:— At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day it was voted to appoint Thos. E. Waldron, Town Treasurer in place of Waldo B. Fay resigned. and Chas E. Bagley was appointed Auditor in place of Thos. E. Waldron resigned. Both appointments to date from May 8th for the remainder of the Town Year.

Yours very truly
Chas. H. Newton
Clerk of Board.

Southborough May 27, 1911

Personally appeared before me Thomas E. Waldron who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of Treasurer of the Town of Southborough.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southboro June 2 1911

Personally appeared before me Chas. E. Bagley who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of Auditor of the Town of Southborough

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester SS

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Southborough qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on Wednesday May 24th instant at eight of the clock in the afternoon then and they to take action on the following articles:

Article 1 To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting;

Article 2. To hear the report of the committee chosen at the last town meeting regarding a new school building at the South part of the Town, and do or act thereon.

Article 3 To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the building of a new School House in the South part of the Town, and for purchasing land necessary for the same, or pass any vote or votes respecting the same.

Article 4. To hear the report of the committee chosen at the last Town meeting, to investigate the claims for damage, made by John Healy, C. B. Sawin and Son, and by W. F. Smithard, and do or act thereon, and pass any vote or votes respecting either of said claims.

Article 5. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the use of the Highway Surveyor as may be necessary to rebuild the fence on the Northboro Road lately

destroyed by fire, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 6 To see if the Town will reappropriate the money unexpended in 1910 for erecting Street signs, and pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 7 To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for completing improvement of the road near the house of P. J. O'Reilly, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 8 To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to be expended for oiling any Town Highway or pass any vote respecting the same.

And you are required to serve this Warrant by posting up an attested copy hereof, at the Post Office and Store in Southborough Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville and at the Post Office in Southville, eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this tenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Francis D. Newton
John T. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough May 24, 1911

I have served this Warrant as herein directed, by posting up an attested copy hereof at the Store and Post Office in

Southborough Center, at the Post Office in Fayville at the Post Office in Cordaville, and at the Post Office in Southville. Eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and have also caused the same to be published in the Southborough Enterprise.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough.

A true Copy
Attest:
Chas. H. Hewton Town Clerk.

Special Town Meeting May 24, 1911

In accordance with the preceeding Warrant the legal voters of the Town of Southborough met in the Town Hall at Eight o'clock in the afternoon of said day, and transacted the following business.
The Town Clerk read the Warrant and the officers return thereon, and under

Art. 1, Chose the Rev. William G. Thayer as Moderator.

Art. 2. Report of Committee called for.
Voted: to dispense with reading of same, as printed copies were previously distributed among the voters.
Voted: that Mr. Bailey the Architect be given the privilege of the floor.
Voted: to accept the report of the Committee.
Voted: to extend the privilege of the floor to Mr. Van Amum, (Superintendant of Schools) who spoke in favor of the Union building.
Voted: that the same committee be continued, to to select plans, at a cost not to exceed $22,000.00 twenty-two thousand dollars, to include land, grading, foundations, building, Water supply, architects fees, and furniture all complete for occupancy.
58 voters voted in favor by a rising vote. 5 against

Art. 3 Voted: that the sum of ($22,000.00) twenty-two thousand dollars, be appropriated for the use of the Building Committee, to be used for the erection of a School Building in the South part of the Town, on lot selected, and that the Town Treasurer be authorized to borrow the above sum, and to give the Town's note or notes therefor, and that two thousand dollars yearly be raised by taxation, to meet the debt incurred, until the full amount borrowed is paid.

By a rising vote, 55 voters voted in favor none against.

Art. 4 Voted: 1st to appropriate ($75 $^{00}_{100}$) seventy-five dollars from money in Treasury to be paid to W. F. Anthonk. When he shall have given the Town a proper release for all claim for damage caused by water overflowing his property.

Under direction of the Selectmen.

Voted: 2nd that ($40 $^{00}_{100}$) forty dollars be appropriated from money in the Treasury, to be expended under the Highway surveyor to remedy the damage claimed by C. B. Sawin & Son.

Voted: 3rd to give the Committee further time on the claim of John Healy.

Art. 5 Voted: to appropriate from funds in hands of Town Treasurer a sum not exceeding ($100. $^{00}_{100}$) One hundred dollars, for the use of the Highway Surveyor as may be necessary to to rebuild the fence on the Northborough Road, lately destroyed by fire.

Art. 6 Voted: to appropriate ($230 $^{35}_{100}$) two hundred thirty and thirty-five one hundredths dollars, from funds in hands of Town Treasurer to complete the erection of Street signs under the direction of the Old Committee.

Art. 7 Voted: to appropriate ($40.60) forty and sixty one hundredths dollars from money in hands of Treasurer for completing improvement of the wall near the house of P. J. O'Reilly.

Art. 8 Voted; to appropriate ($200.00) two hundred and fifty dollars from treasury for oiling Main St. from the house of Geo. P. Gardner to Miss Fanny Bucks house, under direction of Highway Surveyor.

And it was voted to dissolve the meeting.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southboro May 24 1911

Personally appeared before me Wm Smiddy who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Special Officer as appointed by the Selectmen.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southboro July 7 1911

To Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Dear Sir:- You are by this notified that William J. Harrington has been appointed a Registrar of Voters for three years from April 1, 1911.

Chas. H. Newton
Clerk Bd Selectmen.

N. E. Tel - Tel Co.
pole location
Oregon Street

In Board of Selectmen
Southboro Mass. July 7, 1911

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the Streets and highways of said town hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following Specifications: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable Material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Oregon Street from Woodland Road to the residence of Frank Suttle.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southboro

We hereby certify that on July 7, 1911, at 7-30 o'clock P.M., at the Town House in Southborough a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed, at least three days before said hearing

a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy of vote and endorsement,

Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

E. Tel. & T. Co
Pole location
Woodland Street

Southboro Board of Selectmen

Southboro Massachusetts, July 7, 1911

Voted: That the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby authorized and permitted to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires as said Company may deem requisite, in the streets and highways of said town as hereinafter designated.

All construction under this permit shall be in accordance with the following specification: The poles shall be located between the travelled driveway and the limits of the highway, and shall be of wood or other suitable material, and the wires shall be run at the usual height and along and across the highway. After the poles and wires have been located as specified in this permit, alterations shall be made in the location or erection of the poles, and in the height of the wires, if so directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Woodland Street from the end of the present pole line to the residence of Lyman Tollenby.
Pole locations to be identical to those granted to the Marlboro Electric Light Company.

Signatures of Selectmen Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln

We hereby certify that on July 7 1911, at 7-30 o'clock P.M. at the Town House in Southborough a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles and other fixtures designated in the specification hereby endorsed and that we mailed, at least three days before said hearing, a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which it is proposed to construct the lines of said Company under said specification.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy of vote and endorsement

Attest:
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Aug 7 1911

Ernest C. Hodge having been duly appointed a weigher of coal, personally appeared before me this day and made oath to the faithful performance of those duties.
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Thursday August 10th A. D., 1911

at 7-30 oclock P. M.

Then and there to take action on the following articles viz.:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2 To see if the Town will authorize the Trustees of the Fay Library to use the unexpended balance of money appropriated in the year 1910 for expense of Catalogues for the Library, or do or act thereon.

Art. 3 To see if the Town will rescind the vote passed at the meeting held on May twenty-fourth 1911, providing for the issue of $22000.- of notes the proceeds to be used for the erection of a School Building in the South part of the town.

Art. 4 To see if the Town will authorize the issue of bonds, the proceeds to be used under the direction of the Committee chosen for the erection of a School Building in the South part of the Town and for the purchase of land for the same.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrent by posting up an attested

copy hereof at the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, and at the Post Office in Southville eight days at least before the time set for said meeting and by publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-fifth day of July in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eleven.

Francis D. Newton
John T. Burnett
Paul L. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Aug. 10, 1911.

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting up an attested copy hereof at the Store and Post Office at Southborough Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office Cordaville, and at the Post Office in Southville, Eight days at least before the time set for holding said meeting, and have caused the same to be published in the Southboro Enterprise

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant and Officers return

Attest: Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting

August 10, 1911.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the legal voters of the Town of Southborough met in the Town Hall at the appointed time, and transacted the following business. The Town Clerk read the Warrant for the call and the officers return, and under

Art. 1. Chose by ballot, Seth H. Howes as Moderator.

Art. 2. Voted: To authorize the Trustees of the Fay Library to use the unexpended balance of money appropriated in the year 1910 for expense of Catalogues for the Library.

Art. 3 Voted: That the vote passed at the meeting of May 24, 1911, providing for the issue of $22,000.- of notes, the proceeds to be used for the erection of a School Building in the South part of the town, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Voted; That the Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to issue, in the name and behalf of the Town, twenty-two bonds, coupon in form, for one thousand dollars each, dated August 1, 1911, bearing interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and payable in annual instalments of two thousand dollars each on August 1st of each of the years 1912 to 1922 inclusive, the proceeds to be used under the direction of the following named committee:

Daniel F. Harrington,
Seth H. Howes,
F. A. Flichtner,
John J. Henderson,
Augustus E. Wright,

for the erection of a school building in

the south part of the Town, or the purchase of land for the same.

by a rising vote 57 in favor 11 against.

Art. 4 Voted to pass the article as it had already been cared for under Article 3.

And, it was voted to dissolve the meeting.

Charles H. Hewitson
Town Clerk

Juror List

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester SS. Town of Southborough, July 9, A.D. 1911

In accordance with chapter 176 of the Revised Laws and the amendments thereto, we, the Selectmen of the Town of Southborough in said County, have prepared the following list of names of inhabitants of said town to serve as Jurors.

Baker Arthur L.	Farmer	R.F.D. Marlboro	Ward Rd.
Bent Newell	Broker	Southboro	Main St.
Bent Eugene	Poultry-Man	Southville	Pearl St.
Chickering James F.	Farmer	Southville	Parkerville Rd.
Carpenter Bontinelle	Retired	Southboro	Main St.
Collins Edward F.	Assessor	Southboro	Latisquama Rd.
Draper Allen H.	Carpenter	Fayville	Central St.
Gardner George P. Jr.	Clerk	Southboro	Main St.
Gledhill William	Mill Operative	Cordaville	—
Gould William G.	Contractor	Southboro	Boston Rd.
Harrington William J.	Mechanic	Southville	Highland Rd.
Henderson George	Mill Operative	Cordaville	Cordaville Rd.
Howard Herbert B.	Druggist	Southboro	Cordaville Rd.
Hyde Albert F.	Carpenter	Southboro	Main St.
Hyde Herbert L.	Shoemaker	Southboro	Middle Rd.
Jones Charles	Mill Foreman	Cordaville	Southville Rd.
Ladd Harry L.	Mill Operative	Cordaville	Cordaville Rd.
Lincoln Harry R.	Farmer	Southboro	Turnpike Rd.
O'Brien Patrick H.	Baggage Master	Southville	Southville Rd.
O'Brien John J.	Shoemaker	Southville	Southville Rd.
Outhank William J.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Rd.
Sawin Harry W.	Grain Dealer	Southboro	Latisquama Rd.
Simpson Willard C.	Farmer	Southboro	Middle Rd.
Smith Irving	Horse & Cattle Dealer	Southboro	Turnpike Rd.
Taylor Chas. E.	Farmer	Cordaville	Edgewood Rd.
Tufts Chas. E.	Retired	Southville	Wood St.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul L. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Aug. 14, 1911

This is to certify that Seth H. Howes was this day duly appointed by me as an assistant Town Clerk to serve during the ensuing week

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Then personally appeared the above named Seth H. Howes who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of an assistant Town Clerk before me.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Aug. 29, 1911.

To Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

I have this day notified by letter

Andrew R. Sullivan, De. C. Nichols,
Jos. A. O'Leary, Wm. J. Harrington,
Adonia J. Newton, Augustus E. Wright,

of their appointment as Election Officers to serve at the Primary Election to be held Sept. 26, 1911 at 7 o'clock P. M..

Yours very truly
Chas. H. Newton
Clerk Bd of Selectmen

Call for the Primary Election
to be held September 26th, 1911.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough
in the County of Worcester.

Worcester, ss. Greeting:- In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in Elections, to meet in the Town Hall in said Southborough on the twenty-sixth day of September, at seven o'clock in in the afternoon, to bring in their votes for candidates of political parties, for the following officers to be placed on the official ballot to be used at the Annual State Election to be held on November 7th, 1911; For Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorny-General of the Commonwealth, Councillor from the 7th District, Senator from the 4th District, Representative to the General Court from the 10th District, and for County Commissioner, Clerk of the Courts, Register of Deeds, Also to cast their votes for members of the State Committees, to elect a Republican Town Committee of five members, a Democratic Town Committee of five members, and delegates to the State Convention.

And you are directed to serve this Call by posting attested copies thereof, one at the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center, one at the Post Office in Fayville, one at the Post Office in Cordaville, and one at the Post Office in Southville, Eight days at least before the date of said Primary Election.

Hereof fail not and make return of this call with your doings thereon to the

Presiding Officer at said Primary Election, at the time and place thereof.

Given under our hands this twenty-ninth day of August 1911.

Francis D. Newton
John T. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Sept. 26, 1911.

I have served this call as therein directed by posting attested copies thereof one at the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center, one at the Post Office in Fayville, one at the Post Office in Cordaville, and one at the Post Office in Southville eight days at least before the date of said Primary Election.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough.

A true Copy of Call
and Officers return

Attest: Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election September 26, 1911.

In accordance with with the preceeding call the qualified voters met in the Town Hall at 7 o'clock in the evening. Mr. John J. Barrett as presiding officer read the call and the officers return thereon. Of the Election officers previously appointed W. J. Harrington and A. E. Wright were unable to serve, and Frank B. Harrington and N. E. Carpenter were appointed in their places.

The Election officers consisting of Andrew R. Sullivan, Joseph A. O'Leary, Addison J. Newton, De C. Nichols, Frank B Harrington and N. E. Carpenter were qualified by the presiding officer, who stationed two at the voting check list, two at the ballot check list. Constables were stationed at the entrance and exit to the polls. The Ballot box was publicly opened by a constable and shown to be empty, it was again locked, the register on the ballot box showed 0 0 0 0. Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Presiding Election Officer, who in turn gave them to the Ballot Clerks. At shortly after seven o'clock the Polls were declared open for voting. At 9 o'clock it was voted to close the polls at 9-15 they having been kept open at least two hours. At 9-15 P.M. the Presiding Election Officer declared the Polls closed. and directed the Ballot clerks to count the names of those who had been given ballots. their count being 78. there were 78 names checked at the Ballot Box list as having voted. the register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 7 8. The ballots were taken from the ballot box and counted, there being 55 Republican 23 Democratic, No Democratic Progressive.

The counting proceeded as is by law directed, The Republican ballots being counted and declaration made as follows.

Candidates

For Governor

Louis A. Frothingham	had	31	votes
Joseph Walker	had	19	votes
Norman A. White	had	5	votes

For Lieutenant Governor

Robert Luce	had	53	votes
blanks 2			

For Secretary

Albert P. Langtry	had	40	votes
Russell A. Wood	had	11	votes
blanks 4			

For Treasurer

Elmer A. Stevens	had	53	votes
blanks 2			

For Auditor

Herbert W. Burr	had	21	votes
John E. White	had	31	votes
blanks 13			

For Attorney-General

James M. Swift	had	52	votes
blanks 13			

For Councillor

Winfield S. Schuster	had	49	votes
blanks 6			

For Senator

Joseph S. Gates	had	52	votes
blanks 13			

For Representatives in General Court — had 37 votes
Sidney B. Carter
William S. Duncan — had 26 votes
James D. Tyler — had 27 votes
blanks 20

For County Commissioner
Warren Goodale — had 30 votes
Warren E. Farbell — had 21 votes
blanks 4

For Register of Deeds
Daniel Kent — had 50 votes
blanks 5

For Clerk of Courts
Theodores S. Johnson — had 49 votes
blanks 6

For State Committee
Charles J. Batchelder — had 50 votes
blanks 5

For Delegates to State Convention
Francis D. Newton — had 47 votes
John Lowell Bacon — had 45 votes
blanks 18

For Town Committee
Francis D. Newton — had 48 votes
Robert A. Newton — had 50 votes
Edward A. Collins — had 47 votes
Charles F. Choate Jr. — had 50 votes
Augustus E. Wright — had 49 votes
blanks 61

Then the Democratic Ballots were counted and public declaration made as follows:

Candidates

For Governor

Eugene N. Foss	had	17	votes
Thomas C. Higgen	had	3	votes
blanks 13			

For Lieutenant Governor

David I. Walsh	had	21	votes
blanks 2			

For Secretary

Frank J. Donahue	had	15	votes
Edward P. Shelton	had	5	votes
blanks 3			

For Treasurer

Augustus C. Thorndike	had	20	votes
blanks 3			

For Auditor

Charles B. Strecker	had	21	votes
blanks 2			

For Attorney-General

George W. Anderson	had	12	votes
Joseph J. Leonard	had	9	votes
blanks 2			

For Councillor

. . . . . .

For Senator

William R. Burke	had	19	votes
blanks	had	4	votes

For Representatives in General Court

Charles E. Bagley	had	21	votes
Thomas H. Reilly	had	10	votes
Hugh J Steward	had	13	votes
blanks 9			

County Commissioner
. . . . . —

Register of Deeds
. . . . . .

For Clerk of County
Willard J. Hunnes had 17 votes
blanks 6

For State Committee
George P. Cooke had 18 votes
blanks 5

For Delegate to State Convention
Seth H. Howes had 21 votes
Lowell Bacon had 1 vote
blanks 1

For Town Committee
Seth H. Howes had 2 votes
Charles E. Bagley had 2 votes
John E. Welch had 2 votes
Daniel F. Harrington had 2 votes
Cornelius Dee had 1 vote

The used ballots were tied in separate packages sealed and signed, and the Primary Election was voted dissolved.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Oct. 6, 1911.

To Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Field Drivers Appointed

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day, Charles C. Hildreth and William Duncan were appointed Field Drivers for the remainder of the year.

Chas. H. Newton
Clerk Bd Selectmen.

Mess. Hildreth and Duncan were duly notified in writing by me on Oct. 7 1911.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Oct. 12, 1911.

Field Driver Qualified

Personally appeared before me Charles C. Hildreth who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Field Driver.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk.

Southborough Oct. 12, 1911.

Fence Viewer Qualified

Personally appeared before me Charles D. Lealand who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Fence Viewer.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Oct. 15, 1911

Fence Viewer Qualified

Personally appeared before me Newell Bent who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Fence Viewer.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

ield Driver
ppointed

Selectmen Office
Southboro Oct. 16, 1911.

To Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk
Southborough

Dear Sir:- John Carey living on Framingham Road Southborough has this day been appointed Field Driver to fill vacancy in that office until March next.

Francis D. Newton } Selectmen
John J. Burnett } of Southborough

A true copy attest:
Charles H. Newton Town Clerk.

ield Driver
Qualified

Southborough Oct. 17, 1911

Personally appeared before me John Carey who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Field Driver as above appointed

Charles H Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Oct. 28 1911

I hereby certify that I have this day destroyed the ballots cast at the election held on the 6th day of March 1911.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Rail Road Police Appointed

City of Boston
Police Department
Office of the Commissioner

June 23, 1911

Police Commissioner O'Meara was at his office to-day and transacted the following business:

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The petition of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, a railroad corporation having a passenger station in this city, praying for the appointment of

John B. Harnett

being a person in the employment of said railroad corporation, as a railroad police officer of and for said corporation, was acted upon, and upon said petition the person named therein, being a person in the employment of said corporation, was appointed a police officer to act as a railroad police officer of and for said corporation for the purposes and with the powers set forth in Chapter 463 of the Acts of 1906 and Acts in addition thereto and amendatory thereof, to hold said office until said appointment is revoked according to law

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The above is a true abstract from the records of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston.

Attest:

Thomas Ryan
Chief Clerk, Police Department.

A true copy, Attest:

Chas. H. Newton Town Clerk

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Police
ooked

The New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co.

New Haven Conn. Sept. 1, 1911

To the Town Clerk
Southboro, Mass.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby notified, under provisions of Chapter 463, Acts of 1906, that this company has ceased to require the services of John J. Mc Govern and Patrick W. Mc Govern, as railroad police officers; notices of whose appointments were sent you on or about April 21, 1910; And January 7 1911, respectively.

Yours Truly
J. Higgins General Manager

A true copy attest:
Chas. H. Newton Town Clerk

Oct. 20, 1911

Warrant for Special Town Meeting

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Friday, October 20th A.D. 1911

at 7-30 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to take action on the following articles Viz:

Article 1 To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Article 2 To see if the Town will allow Charles F. Choate Jr. to make and use an entrance to his land over the north end of the Town's land at the rear of the Town House, near the Town Pound, and make any changes in the location of said Pound, if necessary, or do or act thereon.

Article 3 To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to complete and equip the new Hall building in Fayville, or fast any votes respecting the same.

Article 4 To see if the Town will take any action regarding a caretaker for the New Hall building in Fayville when it shall be completed or fast any vote respecting same.

And you are hereby required to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies

hereof at the Store and Post-Office in Southborough Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post-Office in Cordaville and at the Post Office in Southville eight days at least before the time set for said meeting and by publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this ninth day of October in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and Eleven.

Francis D. Newton,
John T. Burnett,
Paul S. Lincoln,
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Oct. 20, 1911

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies hereof in the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville and at the Post Office in Southville eight days at least before the time set for said meeting and have caused the same to be published in the Southboro Enterprise.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true Copy of Warrant
and Officers Return

Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting

October 20, 1911.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant, the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough met in the Town Hall at the appointed time, and transacted the following business. The Town Clerk read the Warrant for the Call, and the Constables return thereon, and under,

Art. 1 Chose for Moderator Francis D. Newton
The vote was as follows;
Francis D. Newton had 31 votes
Seth H. Howes had 13 votes
John E. Welch had 2 votes.
The Clerk appointed Albert E. Hutt and Lyman Dollenby as Tellers to check the names on the voting list while the above vote for Moderator was being taken.

Art. 2 Voted, that Mr. Chas. F. Choate be given the privilege to make and use an entrance to his land over the North end of the Town's land at the rear of the Town House and to relocate the pound, if necessary with the understanding that this privilege confers no right and is subject to revocal at any time by vote of the Town

Art. 3 Voted, That a sum not exceeding Thirty Five Hundred dollars be appropriated from money in the hands of the Town Treasurer for the purpose of completing and furnishing the new Town Building in Fayville and to repair the brick Engine House.

by a rising vote 42 in favor
none against

Art. 4 Voted, that the Building Committee be a committee to act until the Annual March Meeting.

Voted to dissolve the meeting

Charles H. Merriton
Town Clerk

Petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts and the Marlborough Electric Company for Joint or Identical Locations for Poles.

To the Selectmen of the Town of Southborough Massachusetts:

Respectfully represent the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts and the Marlborough Electric Company, that they desire to construct a line of poles and fixtures, including the necessary sustaining and protecting fixtures, along and across the public way or ways hereinafter named, and to be owned and used in common by your petitioners.

Wherefore your petitioners pray that after due notice and hearing as provided by law, they may be granted joint or identical locations for and permission to erect and maintain poles and wires, together with such sustaining or protecting fixtures as the business of each of your petitioners may require, said poles to be erected substantially in accordance with the plan filed herewith marked 2, dated June 2, 1911 proposed joint pole line bet. the N. E. T. & T. Co. and the Marlboro Elect. Co.

Your petitioners agree to reserve space for one cross-arm at a suitable point upon each of said poles for telephone, fire and police signal wires owned by the Town and used for municipal purposes.

The following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Woodland Road from the end of the present pole line to the residence of Lyman Hollenby.

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.
of Massachusetts.
by Francis A. Houston C. E. S.
Dist Manager

Marlboro Electric Company
by C. S. Davis
Dated this second day of June 1911 Genl Manager

Original petition
Letter, C. S. Davis to Town Clerk

" Notice

All persons interested in the above petition of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company and the Marlborough Electric Company, and the public are hereby notified that the Selectmen of Southboro will hear all persons who wish to be heard thereon at the Selectmen's room in the Town House in said Southboro, on Friday, November 3rd, at 8 o'clock P.M.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Oct. 24, 1911. "

A true copy of Notice
as printed in Westboro Chronotype Oct. 27, 1911.

Attest.
Chas. F. Newton Jr. Clerk

In Board of Selectmen for the Town of Southboro, Mass.
Ordered:

Notice having been given and a public hearing held as provided by law, that the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts and the Marlboro Electric Company be and they are hereby granted a joint or identical location for, and permission to erect and maintain a joint line of poles and their respective wires and fixtures to be placed thereon, together with such sustaining or protecting fixtures as the business of either of said companies may require, in the public way or ways hereinafter referred to, as requested in petition of said companies dated the second day of June 1911.

All construction work under this order shall be in accordance with the following conditions:

Poles shall be of sound timber, and reasonably straight, and shall be set substantially at the points indicated upon the plan marked 2, dated June 2, 1911 proposed joint pole line bet. the N. E. T. & T. Co. and the Marlboro Elec. Co to be filed with this order. There may be attached to

said poles by said The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts not to exceed twenty open wires or two cables, and by the said Marlboro Electric Company not to exceed twenty wires and all of said wires shall be placed at a height of not less than 18 feet from the ground.

The following are the public ways or parts of ways along which the poles above referred to may be erected, and the number of poles which may be erected under this grant:

Woodland Road from the end of the present pole line to the residence of Lyman Tollenby.

We hereby certify that on Nov. 3rd, 1911 at eight o'clock, P.M., at Southborough, a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts and the Marlborough Electric Company for permission to erect the poles, wires and fixtures described in the order herewith recorded, and that we mailed at least seven days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which the company is permitted to erect poles, wires and fixtures under said order. And that thereupon said order was duly adopted.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul V. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy of Order
and Certificate thereon
Attest: Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for Pole and Wire Locations.

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Southboro, Massachusetts:

Respectfully represents The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts that it desires to construct a line of poles, wires and fixtures, including the necessary sustaining and protecting fixtures, along and across the public way or ways hereinafter named.

Wherefore it prays that after due notice and hearing as provided by law, it may be granted a location for and permission to erect and maintain poles and wires, together with such sustaining or protecting fixtures as it may find necessary, said poles to be erected substantially in accordance with the plan filed herewith marked 1, dated Sept. 25, 1911 proposed relocations of the N. E. T. & T. Co.

Your petitioner agree to reserve space for one cross-arm at a suitable point on said poles for the telephone, fire and police signal wires owned by the town, and used for municipal purposes.

The following are the streets and highways above referred to:

Turnpike road near White's Corner, relocation of three poles.

The New England Telephone and
Telegraph Company of Massachusetts
by Francis A. Houston
C. E. S.
General Manager.

Dated this twenty-fifth day of September, 1911.

A true copy of Petition
Attest: Chas. H. Newton Town Clerk.

"Notice

All persons interested in the above petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, and the public, are hereby notified that the Selectmen

of Southborough will hear all persons who wish to be heard thereon, at the Selectmen's room in the Town House in said Southborough, on Friday, November 3rd at 8 o'clock P. M."

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
Selectmen of Southborough

Oct. 24, 1911.

A true copy of Notice as printed in Westboro Chronotype Oct. 27 1911

Attest; Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

At Board of Selectmen for the Town of Southboro, Massachusetts.

Ordered:

Notice having been given and a public hearing held as provided by law, that the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts be and it is hereby granted a location for and permission to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such sustaining or protecting fixtures as said Company may deem necessary, in the public way or ways hereinafter referred to as requested in petition of said Company dated the twenty-fifth day of Sept., 1911.

All construction under this order shall be in accordance with the following conditions:

Poles shall be of sound timber, and reasonably straight, and shall be set substantially at the points indicated upon the plan Marked 1, dated Sept. 25, 1911 proposed relocations of the N. E. T. & T. Co. to be filed with this order.

The following are the public ways or parts of ways along which the poles above referred to may be erected, and the number of poles which may be erected thereon under this grant:

Boston and Worcester Turnpike near White's Corner, relocation of three poles.

We hereby certify that on Nov. 3rd 1911 at eight o'clock P.M., at Southborough, a public hearing was held on the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company of Massachusetts for permission to erect the poles, wires and fixtures described in the order herewith recorded, and that we mailed at least seven days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceeding assessment for taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which the company is permitted to erect poles, wires and fixtures under said order. And that thereupon said order was duly adopted.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southboro

A true copy of Order
and Certificate thereon,
Attest: Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southboro Oct. 6, 1911.

To Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day, the following were appointed to serve as Ballot Clerks and Tellers at the Election to be held Tuesday November 7, 1911.

Yours very truly
Selectmen of Southboro
by Chas. H. Newton
Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on Tuesday the seventh day of November A. D. 1911, it being the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, at six of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to bring in their votes to the Selectmen for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General, Councillor, Senator, Two Representatives in the General Court, County Commissioner, Clerk of Courts, and Register of Deeds, Also to vote yes or no, on the question; Shall the proposed Amendment to the Constitution authorizing the use of Voting Machines at all elections be approved and ratified. And to vote yes or No on the question shall the proposed amendment to the Constitution, increasing the power of the Legislature

to authorize the taking of land and property for highways or streets be approved and ratified

The vote for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Councillor, Senator, Representative in General Court, County Commissioner, Clerk of Courts, Register of Deeds and the questions of Amendments to the Constitution to be on one ballot.

The polls will be open at six o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at four o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

And you are hereby required to serve this Warrant by posting up an attested copy hereof at the Town and Post Office in Southborough Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville, at the Town House, and at the Office of the Sealer of Weights and Measures in Southborough Center, eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-fifth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Francis D. Kenton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
Attest: Chas. H. Kenton
Town clerk

Southborough Nov. 7 1911

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by Posting up attested copies hereof at the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center, at the Post-Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post-Office in Sawtville, at the Town House, at the Office of the Sealer of Weights and Measures, eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and have caused the same to be published in the Southborough Enterprise.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of
Southborough.

A true copy of Officers Return
Attest: Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk.

November Election 1911

Southborough November -

In accordance with the preceding warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough met at the time and place and for the purpose within mentioned, and transacted the following business.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk who read the Warrant and the Officers return.

The ballot clerks and tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of Andrew R. Sullivan Joseph A. O'Leary, Adoniram J. Newton, Estinton Nichols, William J. Harrington, A.E. Wright, Chas. E. Bagley, and Henry M. Rogers, were called and qualified by the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen.

A package said to contain five hundred official ballots, was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Chairman of the board of Selectmen and his receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was opened and publicly exhibited, it being empty, & it was then closed and locked, the keys being given to Constable Chas. E. Hildreth who retained them.

Ballot clerks of opposite parties were stationed at the Ballot table and at the Check list at Ballot Box, and officers at the entrance and exit of of the voting place. and the Polls were declared open for voters.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 0 0 1.

At two o'clock the Selectmen, Town Clerk and Election officers being agreed, One hundred ballots were taken from the Ballot Box, the Ballot Box was again locked, voting resumed, and counting of the ballots taken out was begun. As soon as the first hundred ballots were counted and properly placed in envelopes, the Ballot Box was again opened and one hundred more ballots taken out, The constable again locked the Ballot Box and voting continued until sunset when the polls were voted closed.

The register on the Ballot Box showed 0293
There were two hundred and eight unused ballots
Francis D. Newton the presiding Election officer
had the Ballot Box unlocked and counting
aloud took out ninety-two ballots, making
a total of two hundred ninety-two, the
Ballot clerks counting aloud, counted the
names of two hundred ninety-two voters as
having voted, and two hundred and
ninety two names of voters were counted
checked as having been given ballots.

The counting of the ballots cast was carried
on as is required by law, and when
completed public declaration was made
as follows:—

For Governor,

James F. Carey of Haverhill
had four votes. (4)

Eugene N. Foss - of Boston Democratic
had seventy-six votes. (76)

Eugene N. Foss - of Boston Progressive Democratic
had twenty-two votes. (22)

Louis A. Frothingham - of Boston
had one hundred and seventy votes. (170)

Dennis McGoff - of New Bedford
had one vote. (1)

Frank N. Rand - of Haverhill,
had one vote. (1)

Eugene N. Foss no designation
had eleven votes. (11)

Eugene N. Foss total vote was
one hundred and nine.

blanks seven (7)

For Lieutenant Governor

Walter L. Hutchins - of Greenfield
had four votes (4)

Robert Luce - of Somerville
had one hundred seventy-one votes (171)

William S. Merrill - of Malden
had three votes (3)
Patrick Mulligan - of Boston
had no votes (0)
David I. Walsh - of Fitchburg
had one hundred and six votes (106)
blanks eight (8)

For Secretary

David Craig - of Milford
had two votes (2)
Frank J. Donahue - of Boston
had eighty-eight votes (88)
Alfred H. Evans - of Northampton
had seven votes (7)
Rose Fenner - of Worcester
had four votes (4)
Albert P. Langtry - of Springfield
had one hundred seventy-four votes (174)
blanks seventeen (17)

For Treasurer

Joseph M. Coldwell - of Milford
had three votes (3)
Jeremiah P. McNally - of Salem
had one vote (1)
Charles E. Peakes - of Weston
had four votes (4)
Elmer A. Stevens - of Somerville
had one hundred eighty-one votes (181)
Augustus L. Thorndike - of Brewster
had eighty-two votes (82)
blanks twenty-one (21)

For Auditor

Karl Lindstrand - of Lynn
had one vote (1)
Sylvester J. McBride - of Watertown
had three votes (3)

William W. Nash - of Westborough
had six votes (6)
Charles B. Strecker - of Brookline
had eighty-five votes (85)
John E. White - of Disbury
had one-hundred seventy six votes (176)
blanks twenty-one (21)

For Attorney-General
George W. Anderson - of Boston
had eighty votes (80)
Henry C. Hess - of Boston
had no votes (0)
George E. Roewer, Jr. - of Boston
had two votes (2)
James M. Swift - of Fall River
had one hundred eighty-three votes (183)
blanks twenty-seven (27)

For Councillor - Seventh District
Winfield S. Schuster - of Douglas
had one hundred and eighty votes (180)
Arthur E. Seagrave - of Uxbridge
had eighty-eight votes (88)
blanks twenty-four (24)

For Senator - Fourth Worcester District
William R. Burke - of Milford
had eighty-nine votes (89)
Joseph S. Gates - of Westborough
had one hundred ninety four votes (194)
blanks nine (9)

For Representatives in General Court
Sixth Worcester District
William L. Duncan - of Clinton
had one hundred sixty eight votes (168)
George Knox - of Clinton
had two votes (2)

Robert—Lawrance - of Clinton
had two votes (2)
Thomas H. Reilly - of Westborough
had eighty-nine votes (89)
Hugh Stewart - of Clinton
had sixty-nine votes (69)
James D. Tyler - of Berlin
had one hundred sixty-four votes (164)
blanks ninety (90)

For County Commissioner
Worcester County
Warren Goodale - of Clinton
had one hundred seventy-eight votes (178)
Joseph E. Verrne - of Leominster
had eighty-five votes (85)
blanks twenty-nine (29)

For Clerk of Courts
Worcester County
Willard J. Humes - of Grafton
had eighty-six votes (86)
Theodore S. Johnson - of Worcester
had one hundred eighty-one votes (181)
blanks twenty-five (25)

For Register of Deeds
Worcester District
Walter B. Kennedy - of Worcester
had eighty-six votes (86)
Daniel Kent - of Worcester
had one hundred seventy-two votes (172)
blanks thirty-four (34)

Shall the proposed amendment to the Constitution authorizing the use of voting machines at all elections be approved and ratified?
Yes one hundred twenty-three votes (123)
No sixty-two votes (62)
blanks one hundred-seven (107)

Shall the proposed amendment to the constitution, increasing the power of the legislature to authorize the taking of land and property for highways or streets, be approved and ratified?

Yes? Ninety-five votes (95)
No. Eighty-four votes (84)
blanks, one hundred thirteen (113)

The returns were filled out on the blanks furnished by the Secretary of the Commonwealth and transmitted to him by mail.

The above meeting was voted dissolved.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Statement of Votes for Representative to General Court, South Worcester District.

Names of Candidates	Residence	Berlin	Bolton	Boylston	Clinton	Northboro	Southboro	Westboro	West Boylston	Total
William S. Duncan	Clinton	145	71	83	965	182	168	373	123	2110
George H Norr	Clinton	0	2	3	127	2	2	9	1	146
Robert Laurance	Clinton	0	1	0	124	6	2	18	1	152
Thomas H. Reilly	Westborough	22	4	17	972	80	89	368	24	1576
Hugh Stewart	Clinton	15	7	12	960	46	69	166	25	1300
James S. Tyler	Berlin	147	69	71	850	161	164	379	125	1966
Sidney B. Carter	Berlin	1								1
Blanks		48	32	54	318	63	90	293	61	959
		378	186	240	4316	540	584	1606	360	8210

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the South Representative District of Worcester County certify that the above is a true statement of the returns of votes cast on the seventh day of November 1911, for two Representatives to the General Court, made to us by the Selectmen of the Towns in said District.

Frank H. Crossman — Town Clerk of Berlin
Frank A. Powers — Town Clerk of Bolton
George L. Wright — Town Clerk of Boylston
James H. Carr — Town Clerk of Clinton
Francis M. Harrington — Town Clerk of Northboro
Charles H. Newton — Town Clerk of Southboro
Joseph S. Gates — Town Clerk of Westboro
William J. Holmes — Town Clerk of West Boylston

Clinton Mass., Nov. 17 1911.

A true copy attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Selectmen's Office
Town of Southborough

November 11, 1911

This is to certify that
Michael J. O'Neil
of Southborough in the County of Worcester and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts is hereby licensed to practice Mechano Theraphy in the Town of Southborough with his office on the South side of Southville Road in the village of Cordaville.

This License is granted subject to the provisions of chapter 443 of the Acts of the year 1911, the Public Statutes and the amendments thereto.

This License may be revoked at the pleasure of the Selectmen or the Board of Health of said Town of Southborough.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul A. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy
Attest: Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk of
Southborough

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Southborough Mass. Mar. 11 1911

This is to certify that
A License is hereby granted to Charles C. Hildreth Constable of Southboro to carry a loaded pistol or revolver, in accordance with the provisions of Chapt 172, Acts of 1906 as amended under Chapter 350 Acts of 1908.
This License expires Mar. 10 1912 unless sooner revoked.

Francis O. Newton
Paul L. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A copy Attest:
Chas. H. Newton Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Southborough Mass. Mar. 11, 1911.

This is to certify that
A License is hereby granted to Francis O. Newton Deputy Sheriff of Worcester County and Constable of the Town of Southborough to carry a loaded pistol or revolver, in accordance with the provisions of chapt 172, Acts of 1906 as amended under Chapter 350 Acts of 1908.
This License expires Mar. 10, 1912 unless sooner revoked.

} Selectmen of Southborough

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Southboro Apr. 7 1911

This is to certify that
A License is hereby granted to Lyman Tollesby a Special Officer of Southborough to carry a loaded pistol or revolver, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 172, Acts of 1906, as amended under Chapter 350, Acts of 1908.

This License expires Mar. 10 1912 unless sooner revoked.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A copy Attest:

Chas. H. Newton Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Southboro May 1911

This is to certify that
A License is hereby granted to ~~Lyman~~ Adriel D. Barnard who has to pass through a lonely road on his way home at night to carry a loaded pistol or revolver, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 172, Acts of 1906, as amended under Chapter 350, Acts of 1908.

This License expires Mar. 10 1912 unless sooner revoked.

} Selectmen of Southborough

A copy Attest:

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Southborough Aug. 1, 1911.

This is to certify that
A License is hereby granted to William Duncan a Constable of Southborough to carry a loaded pistol or revolver, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 172, Acts of 1906, as amended under Chapter 300 Acts of 1908.

This License expires Mar. 10 1912 unless sooner revoked.

} Selectmen of Southborough

A copy Attest:

Chas. H. Newton

Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Southborough Aug. 31, 1911

This is to certify that
A License is hereby granted to Paul L. Lincoln, Postmaster at Southville, to carry a loaded pistol or revolver, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 172, Acts of 1906, as amended under Chapter 300, Acts of 1908.

This License expires Mar. 10, 1912 unless sooner revoked.

} Selectmen of Southborough

A copy Attest;

Chas. H. Newton

Town Clerk

Perambulation Hopkinton Southboro

The undersigned Selectmen of Hopkinton and Southborough having met according to notice this twenty-first day of November A. D. 1911, to perambulate and run the lines and renew the marks upon the monuments between said towns have performed that duty and find the bounds all correct and make the following report. Commencing at a point in the centre of the Concord River it being the bound between the towns of Hopkinton, Southborough and Ashland.

Said point being North 13° E. from a stone monument by the side of said river marked H. S. A. thence running westerly in the centre of said river to a stone monument by a rock on the northerly side of the river marked H. S. W. being the corner bound of Hopkinton, Southborough and Westborough.

John F. Terry
Edward M. Bruce
Selectmen
of
Hopkinton

Francis O. Newton
Paul L. Lincoln
Selectmen
of
Southborough

A true Copy,
Attest:
Patrick H. Dolan,
Town Clerk.

A true Copy of Copy,
Attest:
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk of
Southborough.

Ballots Destroyed

Southborough Mar. 2 1912

I hereby certify that I have this day destroyed the ballots cast at the fall election in 1911.

Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

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Organization of the Republican Town Committee
of
Southborough.
1912

Chairman. Charles F. Choate.
Secretary. R. Albro Newton.
Treasurer. Augustus E. Wright.

other members.
Francis D. Newton.
Edward F. Collins.

R. Albro Newton Sec.
Feb. 12, 1912.

A true copy,
Attest:
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk.

Southboro March 6, 1912

At a meeting of the Democratic Town Committee held Wednesday Feb. 28th S. H. Howes was elected Chairman and Daniel F. Harrington Secretary.

Respectfully Yours
S. H. Howes Chairman

A true copy, Attest:
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Warrant for Annual March Meeting 1912.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester s.s.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough, in said County. Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Southborough, on

Monday March 4th, 1912

at eight of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to take action on the following articles, viz.:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary Town Officers and Committees:

The vote for Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of the Poor, School Committee, Town House Committee, Cemetery Commissioner, Trustees of the Fay Library, Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden and Constables to be on one ballot.

The polls will be open for the election of officers at eight fifteen o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at two thirty o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

The following officers to be chosen by ballot: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, Selectman, for three years, one member of the School Committee for three years, one overseer of the Poor

for three years, Two Warden, Highway Surveyor Three members of the Town House Committe, one Cemetery Commissioner for three years, Constables and two Trustees of the Fay Library.

Article 3. To vote by ballot Yes or No on granting license for the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Article 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the legitimate use of the Town and make appropriations of the same.

Article 4. To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Article 6. To hear the report of the Trustees of the Fay library or do or act thereon.

Article 7. To determine the manner of collecting the taxes for the ensuing year or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 8. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to hire such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town's use and pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 9. To see if the Town will authorize its Collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Article 10. To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog money and pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may brought against the Town, and to prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town or do or act thereon.

Article 12. To see what action the Town will take to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 13. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic for defraying the expenses of Memorial Day and decorating and repairing soldiers' graves.

Article 14. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifty dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic in accordance with Section 15, Chapter 25 of the Revised Laws and pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 15. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money necessary for street lighting and pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 16. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract for lighting any street or road not now provided with lights or pass any vote or votes respecting the lighting of streets, roads, or ways.

Article 17. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for transporting books from the Gay Library to the villages of Bordaville and Southville or do or act thereon.

Article 18. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General Court in all matters regarding taxation and to employ counsel as may be necessary to protect the interest of the Town or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 19 To see if the Town will appropriate any sum of money unexpended from any special appropriation of last year, if needed to complete any work or purposes for which such appropriation was made

Article 20 X To see what action the Town will take toward providing an adequate water supply for the public buildings at the centre of the Town or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 21 X To see if the Town will request its representatives in the General Court to vote for the submission to the people of a Constitutional Amendment providing for Direct Legislation through the Initiative and the Referendum.

Article 22 X To see if the Town will accept the report of the Selectmen on the layout of a new town way, over land of Leander W. and Cora A. Newton and land of heirs of Lyman Newton near the house of Patrick M. Salmon, and running from Newton Street to Lyman Street or pass any votes respecting the same.

Article 23 X To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for constructing the public way as laid out by the Selectmen, near the house of Patrick M. Salmon, or do or act thereon.

Article 24 X To vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the following question:

Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and eight entitled "An act to provide for the protection of forest or shrout lands from fire, be accepted by this town?"

This vote to be on seperate ballot.

Article 25. To see if the Town will establish the salary of the Highway Surveyor for the ensuing year, or do or act thereon.

Article 26. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract for electric lighting of the streets between Jericho Road and Otis Corner and appropriate money for the same.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to widen Gilmore Road, between George Gilmore's house and the old Shuttleworth house, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to cut the corners on Cordaville and Turnpike roads, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to change the name from Middle to Central Road leading from the Main street opposite the Common to Parkerville Road, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to light the road now called Middle Road, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to light the roads and streets between John O'Brien's Corner and White's Corner, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 32. To see if the Town will ratify the payment of ten per cent. for services of the highway surveyor for the past year, or do or act thereon.

Article 33. To see if the Town will approve of the payment of ten per cent. for the

services of W. A. Gould in superintending the construction of the sidewalk in Southborough Center, or do or act thereon.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to elect at the next annual Town meeting a Board of Health, or do or act thereon.

Article 35 To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to establish and maintain a branch of the Fay Library in the Village of Fayville, or pass any vote regarding the same.

Article 36. To see if the Town will take any action in regard to providing a permanent water supply for the swimming pool, or do or act thereon.

Article 37. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to repair the street leading from Main street past Smith's livery stable, or pass any vote respecting said street.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to remove the Chemical now at the Center to the stable of Irving Smith and appropriate a sum of money to provide for the same, or take any action thereon.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to complete the concrete sidewalk from Marlboro Road to the Southwest corner of the old cemetery, or do or act thereon.

Article 40 To see if the Town will vote to revoke the action of the Town whereby it voted to accept Section 336, or other sections of Chapter 11, or corresponding provisions of earlier laws pertaining to the election of a Highway Surveyor.

Article 41. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for constructing a sidewalk on Summer and Winter streets, between Turnpike Road and Central Street in Fayville, or pass any vote respecting sidewalks.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of any Town officer, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 43. To see if the Town will choose a committee to consider the remodeling and repair of the Town House, and report at the next town meeting, with plans and estimates of cost, or do or act thereon.

Article 44 To see if the Town will instruct the Treasurer to invest money held or owed on account of the Fay Library, or do or act thereon.

Article 45 To see if the Town will approve of the overdraft paid by the Selectmen on account of labor and sand applied to Main street the past year.

Article 46. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the claim of John Sealey for damages by water to his premises on Newton street, or do or act thereon.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Store and Post Office in Southboro Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, and at the Post Office in Southville, eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southboro Enterprise.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this seventeenth day of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

Francis W. Newton
John T. Burnett
Paul L. Lincoln
Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough March 4, 1912

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting up an attested copy thereof at the Store and Post-Office in Southborough Center at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post-Office in Cordaville, and at the Post-Office in Southville eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and have caused the same to be published in the Southboro Enterprise

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough.

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk.

Annual March Meeting 1912.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the legal voters of the Town of Southborough met in the Town Hall at ~~eight~~ o'clock in the forenoon of March 4th.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk, who read the call, articles 1, 2, and 3, and the Constables return of the Warrant. The meeting voting to dispense with the reading of Articles 4 to 46 inclusive.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of, Wm. Harrington, Raymond Tollenby William J. O'Neil, Richard Caswell, Andrew R. Sullivan, Henry M. Rogers, Thomas Manning and Edmund J. Newton. were qualified by the Town Clerk, to be assigned to the various tables as needed.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and the exhit from the Polls, and under

Article 1 Seth H. Howes was elected moderator.

An attested check list was delivered to the Ballot clerks, and another to the checkers at the Ballot Box.

A package supposed to contain 480 official Ballots was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Moderator and his receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was opened by the Moderator and publicly shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked by Constable Hildreth who retained the key.

The register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 0 0

The moderator declared the Polls open at 8-15 A. M.

Art. 4 The reports of the various Town Officers were acted upon and accepted.

The reports of the Building Committee at Fayville and of the Building Committee on South Union School were accepted as reports of progress.

The Auditors Report at a ~~recess~~ was then acted upon and accepted, with verbal correction

on page 4 in School Account so as to show a balance on hand of $11.38 in place of an overdraft of $188.62 as voted. It was further voted that the Fayville Building Committee complete the hall and be given charge of the new Building for the ensuing year.

Art. 5 Voted: by a rising vote fifty-one in favor and none against to raise the sum of $38,355.00 Thirty-eight thousand three hundred and fifty-five dollars, And that the same be assessed upon the estates within the Town to pay Town debts and charges and that the same be appropriated as follows:—

voted to appropriate for Schools	$11,500.00
voted to appropriate for Support of Poor	2,500.00
voted to appropriate for Contingent Fund	3,000.00
voted to appropriate for State Aid & Soldiers Relief	400.00
voted to appropriate for Cemeteries	300.00
voted to appropriate for Common and Town House Grounds	150.00
voted to appropriate for Street Lighting	5,000.00
voted to appropriate for Tree Warden	1,500.00
voted to appropriate for Firemen Services	500.00
voted to appropriate for Fire Department	350.00
voted to appropriate for Town House Committee	100.00
voted to appropriate for Snow Bills	300.00
voted to appropriate for Salaries	2,405.00
voted to appropriate for G.A.R. Relief	50.00
voted to appropriate for Liquor Sale Suppression	100.00
Art. 39 voted to appropriate for permanent Improvements	1,000.00
voted to appropriate for Memorial Day	100.00
voted to appropriate for Play Grounds	100.00
voted to appropriate for Highways	3,500.00
voted to appropriate for Retirement of Bond	2,000.00
voted to appropriate for Retirement of Note	1,000.00
voted to appropriate for Interest on Bonds & Notes	1,500.00
voted to appropriate for Running Expense of New Library	1,000.00
	$38,355.00

Voted to appropriate } ½ to the Schools.
the Dog Money } ½ to the Fay Library.

From funds in hands of Treasurer { See Art. 17 $30.00; " " 19 35.29; " " 23 450.00; " " 41 3[illegible]; " " 46 500.00

Art. 5 con Voted, that the School Committee be instructed to use $100.00 of the School appropriation for Home Garden training and other work of that nature.

Voted, that the Assessors be Authorized to deduct the amounts received from Street Railways and the Metropolitan Water Board in lieu of tax, in addition to the Bank and Corporation tax before the tax rate is established.

Art. 6 Voted: under Auditors Report.

Art. 7 Voted: that all Poll Taxes in Southborough the present year be payable on demand, and that all single poll taxes not paid sixty days after having been put into the hands of the Collector, shall be put into the hands of a Constable for collection.

Art. All other taxes to be paid before the first Monday in December 1912, if not then paid interest at the rate of six per cent per annum shall be added until paid, if not paid by the first Monday in January 1913, the collector is instructed to collect the same according to law. Provided that there shall be discounted from any tax bill other than poll taxes paid before December first and after July thirty-first, an amount equal to six per cent per annum for each whole month it is so paid before December first.

Art. 8 Voted: ~~That~~ the town treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the taxes of the municipal year beginning Jan. 1, 1912, to an amount not ~~to~~ exceeding in the aggregate $15,000.00 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year, any debt or debts incurred

under this vote to be paid from the taxes of said municipal year.

By a rising vote 46 in favor none against.

Art: 9 Voted: to authorize the Collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed collector.

Art: 10 Voted: under appropriations.

Art: 11. Voted: to authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the Town, and to prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town.

Art: 12 Voted: to leave in the hands of the Selectmen.

Art: 13 Voted under appropriations.

Art: 14 Voted under appropriations.

Art: 15 Voted under appropriations.

Art: 16 Voted to pass this article

Art: 17 Voted: that the Trustees of the Fay Library make arrangements for a branch library at the South part of the Town, and for the transportation of books thereto. at an expense not to exceed $300.00 to be taken from funds in hands of Treasurer.

Art: 18 Voted: to authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General Court in all matters regarding taxation and to employ counsel, as may be necessary to protect the interest of the Town.

Art: 19. Voted: to appropriate $355.39 unexpended balance from last year, for the use of the South Union School Building Committee.

Art: 20. Voted: That one member of the Library Committee one member of the Town Hall Committee and one member of the School Committee each to be elected by their respective boards, and Theodore H. Winnaith constitute a committee of four on water supply for the public buildings at the center and that this committee be instructed to investigate the cost and desirability of various systems and report to the town at some future meeting.

Art: 21 Voted: That it is the sense of this meeting that it is not a proper question to bring up at this meeting.

At 12 o'clock it was voted to adjourn til 1 P.M. the polls being kept open.

At 1 o'clock business was resumed.

Art. 22 Voted: to accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen on the layout of a new town way, over land of Leander W. and Cora A. Newton and land of heirs of Lyman Newton, near the house of Patrick M. Salmon, and running from Newton Street to Lyman Street.

Art. 23 Voted: to appropriate $450.00 from funds in hands of Treasurer, for land damage and constructing the public way as laid out by the Selectmen, near the house of Patrick M. Salmon.

Art. 24 No action needed as the Town had already accepted corresponding provisions of earlier laws. (See Art. 37 1909)

Art. 25. Voted: that the salary of the Highway Surveyor be 10% of all money expended under his direction.

Art: 26 Voted: to authorize the Selectmen to contract for electric lighting of the streets between Jericho Road and the Corner and from Jericho Road to the foot of the hill near the house of George b. Fisher.

Art: 27 Voted: That the Highway Surveyor be instructed to repair Gilmore Road, between George Gilmores house and the old Shuttleworth house, at an expense not to exceed $100.00 to be taken from regular Highway Appropriation.

Art: 28 Voted: to Pass the Article

Art: 29 Voted: not to change the name of Middle Road to Central Road.

Art: 30 Voted: not to light Middle Road

Art: 31 Voted: to authorize the Selectmen to place one more light near the house of John O'Brien and to extend the lights from Middle Road to Parkerville Road to hill near house of Mr. Dreson.

Art: 32 Voted: to ratify the payment of ten per cent. for services of the Highway Surveyor for the last year.

Art: 33. Voted: to approve of the payment of ten per cent. for the services of W. A. Gould in superintending the construction of the sidewalk in Southboro Center on condition that Mr Gould return the cement bags and give the Town proper credit therefor.

Art: 34 Voted: that the Town hereby accept the provisions of Section 338 of Chapter Eleven of the Revised Laws and that at the next annual town meeting there shall be chosen a Board of Health.

Art. 35 Voted: to pass this article.

Art. 36 Voted: to pass the article

Art. 37 Voted: to instruct the Highway Surveyor to repair the street leading from Main street past Smiths livery Stable at an expense of $75.00 to be taken from Highway Appropriation.

Art. 38 Voted, to pass the article.

at 2-30 P.M. voted to close the polls at 4 P.M.

Art. 39. Voted: to complete the concrete sidewalk from Marlboro Road to the Southwest corner of the old cemetery, under the direction of the Highway Surveyor, money to be taken from the $1,000.00 appropriated for permanent improvements, it was further voted that in making permanent improvements the Highway Surveyor should not exceed the appropriation

Art. 40 Voted: to pass the Article

Art. 41 Voted: that $300.- be appropriated from money in hands of Treasurer to construct a sidewalk on Summer and Winter Streets between Turnpike Road and Central street in Hayville, under the direction of the Highway Surveyor.

Art. 42 Voted: to increase the salary of the Town Clerk from $75.00 to $150.00 per annum, the Auditor from $100.00 to $150.00 per annum, and that of the Board of Registrars from $60.00 to $80.00 per annum.

Art. 43 Voted: to choose a committee of three consisting of one member of the Board of Selectmen one member of the Board of Assessors

and one member of the Town House Committee to consider the remodeling and repair of the Town House, and report at the next town meeting, with plans and estimates of cost.

Art. 44 Voted: to instruct the Treasurer with the advice of the Selectmen to invest the $1500.00 held or owed on account of the Fay Library.

Art. 45 Voted: to approve of the overdraft paid by the Selectmen on account of labor and sand applied to Main street the past year.

Art. 46 Voted: to extend the privilege of the floor to Mr. Sealey.
Voted: to appropriate $600.— from funds in Treasury to settle claim of John Sealey for damages by water to his premises on Newton Street.

At 3-25 P.M. all the Election officers and the Moderator being agreed, it was voted to take 200 ballots from the Ballot Box, and begin the canvas, Constable Hildreth unlocked, and again locked the Ballot Box, retaining the keys in his possession. Voting continued till 4 P.M. when the Polls were voted closed.

The Ballot Clerks check list and the Tellers check list were each counted aloud, and on each list were counted the names of 318 voters checked as having voted. The Moderators count of ballots taken from the Ballot Box was 318. The Register on the Ballot Box showed 0|3|1|8.

The Ballots were counted as required by law and public declaration made as follows:-

Art. 2 For Town Clerk

S. 3/4 of Mod. Charles H. Newton had two hundred seventy-four votes
44 blanks

(51)

Art-2 con

For Town Treasurer
S. 3/6 Thomas E. Waldron had two hundred seventy-three votes
45 blanks

For Collector of Taxes
S. 3/6 De Clinton Nichols had two hundred sixty-two votes
56 blanks

For Selectman for three years
John J. Neary had one hundred ~~twenty~~-four votes
S. 3/7 Francis D. Newton had one hundred eighty-nine votes
5 blanks

For Assessor for three years
S. 3/7 Fontinelle E. Carpenter
had two hundred forty-five votes
70 blanks

For Overseer of the Poor
S 3/9 Daniel F. Harrington
had two hundred fifty-five votes
63 blanks

For School Committee
S. 3/11 Seth H. Power had two hundred fifty-three votes
John J. Gibson had one vote
64 blanks

For Town House Committee
John F. Flannery had two hundred forty votes
De C. Nichols had two hundred forty-seven votes
Patrick M. Salmon had two hundred forty-three votes
Horace E. Wheeler had one vote
223 blanks

For Cemetery Commissioner
Patrick M. Salmon had two hundred twenty-six votes
92 blanks

No. 2. con. For Constable:

S. 3/4 William Duncan had two hundred thirty-three votes
S. 3/11 Cyprian Folienby had two hundred thirty-five votes
S. 3/4 Charles C. Hildreth had two hundred thirty-five votes
S. 3/4 Francis D. Newton had two hundred twenty-nine votes
340 blanks

For Auditor
Charles E. Bagley had two hundred forty-one votes
77 blanks

For Highway Surveyor
Silas G. Allen had ninety-three votes
William A. Gould had two hundred and five votes
20 blanks

For Tree Warden
Harry Burnett had two hundred sixteen votes
102 blanks

For Trustees of Fay Library for three years
Rev. Robert N. Cheney had two hundred thirty-one votes
Charles C. Fairbanks had two hundred thirty-six votes
Charles Lamar had one vote
168 blanks

The following officers were elected by Nomination from the floor.

Measurers of Wood and Bark

Paul S. Lincoln
Harry A. McMaster
S. 3/6 De Clinton Nichols
Marcus Jackson

Surveyor of Lumber

C. L. Parmenter
S. 3/6 De Clinton Nichols

Public Weighers

Francis Wright
Harry A. McMaster
Thos Fitzgerald
S. 3/13 De Clinton Nichols
John J Henderson
Chas. B. Sawin
Paul S. Lincoln

Art-2 Con.

Field Drivers

S.3/4 Walter E. Ruggles. Frederick E. Small. Robert E. Cain.

Pound Keeper

Henry Newton

Fence Viewers

Charles F. Ireland; Frederick P. Ellerton, Newell Bent;
S.3/7 Hiromal P. Lindsay; S.3/4 George H. Burnett, S.3/7 Raymond Croxson
George P. Gardner Jr.

For license to sell intoxicating liquors

Yes	96
No	157
Blanks	65

The ballots cast, check lists, and tally sheets, were tied in packages, properly signed and sealed, as by law required, and it was voted to dissolve the meeting.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Appointments
1912

Southborough Mar. 29, 1912

To Chas. H. Newton, Town Clerk.

Dear Sir:-

At a special meeting of the Selectmen held this day, the following appointments were made for the ensuing year:

	Chas. H. Newton	Clerk Board of Selectmen
	George Centillo	Burial Agent
	William E. Barney	Agent Board of Health
	James L. Stockwell	Weighers of Coal
	Augustus E. Wright	
	E. C. Hodge	
	De. C. Nichols	
	Thomas Fitzgerald	
S. 4/5	Edward C. Nichols	
	John Sealey	
	William Smiddy	Special Police without pay for the protection of the waters of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board in the Town of Southborough.
S. 1/2	L. M. Drew	
S. 4/5	Fred M. Dole	
	Marcus Jackson	Special Police without pay.
S. 3/29	John J. Burnett	
	Walter G. Wingo	Special Police without pay for the protection of St Marks School Property.
	John Sealey	Special Police without pay for the protection of Masonic Building Property.
	John Flannery	Fire Warden Southboro Center.
	Chas. C. Hildreth	Fire Warden Fayville & Ea. Part.
	William E. O'Neil	Fire Warden Cordaville.
	John L. O'Brien	Fire Warden Southville.
	James B. Johnson	Fire Warden West Part.

Harry Burnett — Gypsy + Brown Tail moth Supt.

Harry Burnett — Forest-Fire Warden.

S.[1st] Willard C. Simpson — Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Witnessed by Fred T. Walker Chief of Cattle Bureau

S.[1st 30] Silas G. Allen — {Inspector of Animals at a salary of 200.- dollars.

S.[1st 30] Silas G. Allen — {Inspector of Meats and Provisions at 40¢ per hour.

George Cantillo — Registrar of Voters for three years.

Adelbert E. Collins — Undertaker.

Selectmen of Southboro
by Chas H. Newton Clerk

A true Copy Attest:
Charles H. Newton Town Clerk.

Call for Primary Election

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester s.s.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in the County of Worcester Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town Hall in said Southborough on Tuesday the thirtieth day of April A.D. 1912, at seven of the clock in the Afternoon to bring in their votes for Delegates and of Alternate Delegates to National Conventions of political parties and for the names of candidates for the nomination by such political parties for the office of President of the United States and of Vice President of the United States. And each voter may express his preference for such candidate in the same manner as in voting for candidates for State Officers to be voted for by all the voters of the Commonwealth.

And you are directed to serve this call by posting attested copies hereof in the Store and Post-Office in Southborough Center in the Post Office in Fayville, in the Post Office in Cordaville, in the Post Office in Southville, at the Town Hall, at the Engine House in Southborough Center, Fayville, Cordaville and Southville, eight days at least before the date of said primary Election, and by publishing the same in the Southboro Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Call with your doings

thereon to the presiding officers at said Primary Election at the time and place thereof.

Given under our hands this eighth day of April one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

Francis W. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy Attest:

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough April 13/12

I have served this call as herein directed by posting attested copies in the Store + Post Office in Southborough Center in the Post Office in Fayville, in the Post Office in Cordaville, in the Post Office in Southville, at the Town Hall, and at the Engine Houses in Southborough Center, Fayville, Cordaville and Southville eight days at least before the date of said Primary Election, and have caused the same to be Published in the Southboro Enterprise.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy Attest:

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election April 30 1912

In accordance with the preceeding Call the qualified Voters met in the Town Hall at 7 o'clock in the evening. Mr. Francis D. Newton as presiding officer read the Call and the Constables return thereon.

The Election Officers, consisting of Frank B. Harrington, Edward F. Collins, A. E. Wright, Chas. E. Bagley, Henry M. Rogers, William J. O'Neil, Edward C. Nichols and Charles E. Bagley, were qualified by the presiding officer who stationed two at the Ballot Check list two at the Ballot Box Check list. Constables were stationed at the entrance and exhit of the Polling place.

The Ballot box was publicly opened by a constable and shown to be empty, it was then locked by constable Hildreth who retained the key. The register on the Ballot Box showed 0000. Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Presiding Officer, who in turn gave them to the Ballot Clerks.

At seven o'clock the polls were declared open for voting. At nine oclock they were closed having been kept open two hours.

The Ballot Clerks counted 133 Names checked as having received ballots.

There were 133 names checked at the Ballot Box list as having voted.

The Ballot Box Register showed 0133

The Ballots were taken from the ballot box and counted aloud there being 133. of there there were 106 Republican and 27 Democratic.

The counting proceeded as is by law directed
The Republican ballots were counted first and declaration
made as follows:-

For Delegates at Large

Group (1)

Charles S. Baxter	of Medford	had	42 votes
George W. Coleman	of Boston	had	41 votes
Frederick Fosdick	of Fitchburg	had	42 votes
Albert Bushnell Hart	of Cambridge	had	42 votes
Octave A. La Riviere	of Springfield	had	41 votes
James P. Magenis	of Boston	had	42 votes
Arthur L. Mason	of Haverhill	had	41 votes
Alvin G. Weeks	of Fall River	had	41 votes

Group (2)

Frank Leiberlich	of Boston	had	4 votes

Group (3)

Winthrop Murray Crane	of Dalton	had	52 votes
John L. Bates	of Boston	had	52 votes
Lucius Tuttle	of Brookline	had	51 votes
John W. Weeks	of Newton	had	52 votes
Samuel B. Capen	of Boston	had	51 votes
Samuel J. Elder	of Winchester	had	52 votes
James F. Cavanagh	of Everett	had	51 votes
Edmond Cote	of Fall River	had	49 votes

101 blanks

For Alternate Delegates at Large

Group (1)

John D. Long	of Hingham	had	61 votes
Benjamin H. Anthony	of New Bedford	had	61 votes
Frank Vogel	of Boston	had	61 votes
Joseph Moretty	of Lawrence	had	61 votes
Charles H. Innes	of Boston	had	61 votes
Walter Ballantyne	of Boston	had	61 votes
Isaac L. Roberts	of Boston	had	61 votes
Ernest G. Adams	of Worcester	had	61 votes

Group (2)

Charles L. Burrill	of Boston	had	39 votes
Thomas F. Doherty	of Boston	had	39 votes
Richard R. Flynn	of Somerville	had	39 votes
John Larrabee	of Melrose	had	39 votes
John G. Maxfield	of Springfield	had	39 votes

For Alternate Delegates at large (cont.)

Max Mitchell	of Boston	had	39 votes
Cassius A. Ward	of Boston	had	39 votes
Russell A. Wood	of Cambridge	had	39 votes

44 blanks

For District Delegates - Fourth District. Group (1)

Samuel C. Bennett	of Weston	had	60 votes
Walter B. Morse	of Marlborough	had	62 votes

Group (2)

John M. Keyes	of Concord	had	40 votes
Frederick P. Glazier	of Hudson	had	42 votes

8 blanks

For Alternate District Delegates - Fourth District Group (1)

Harrie C. Hunter	of Marlborough	had	41 votes
John E. Coolidge	of Waltham	had	42 votes

Group (2)

Adelbert B. Messer	of Concord	had	58 votes
George F. Leslie	of Waltham	had	60 votes

11 blanks

Preference for a candidate for President of the United States.

Robert M. La Follette	of Wisconsin	had	no Votes
Theodore Roosevelt	of New York	had	41 Votes
William Howard Taft	of Ohio	had	61 votes

4 blanks

Preference for a candidate for Vice President

Curtis Guild	had	1 vote
W. R. Stubbs	had	1 vote
W. J. Sherman	had	2 votes
Roosevelt	had	2 votes
R. J. Colter	had	1 vote
Franklin McVeagh	had	1 vote

99 blanks

The Democratic Ballots were then counted and declaration made as follows:

For Delegates at large

(1)
Frank J. Donahue of Boston had 16 votes

(2)
E. Terry Brown of Boston had 8 votes

(3)

John W. Coughlin	of Fall River	had 17 votes
John F. Fitzgerald	of Boston	had 19 votes
William P. Hayes	of Springfield	had 13 votes
Charles J. Martell	of Boston	had 9 votes
Humphrey O'Sullivan	of Lowell	had 15 votes
Charles B. Strecker	of Brookline	had 9 votes
David I. Walsh	of Fitchburg	had 19 votes

(4)
Henry F. Burt of Taunton had 7 votes

(5)
Henry J. Schaefer of Boston had 5 votes

(6)
George Fred Williams of Dedham had 5 votes

(7)
John P. Sweeney of Methuen had 9 votes

(8)
James H. Vahey of Watertown had 14 votes

(9)
John A. Keliher of Boston had 5 votes
46 Number

For Alternate Delegates at large

James M. Nolan of Norwood (1) had 12 votes

Joseph J. Leonard of Boston (2) had 15 votes

Andrew A. Badaracco	of Boston	(3)	had 11 votes
Charles F. Campbell	of Worcester		had 17 votes
Peter J. Flaherty	of Saugus		had 17 votes
James M. Nolan	of Norwood		had 4 votes
Daniel H. Maguire	of Haverhill		had 17 votes
Luke J. Minahan	of Pittsfield		had 11 votes
Daniel M. O'Brien	of Rockland		had 12 votes
Joseph F. O'Connell	of Boston		had 11 votes

John P. Kane of Lawrence (4) had 9 votes
82 blanks

For District Delegates - Fourth District

John J. Desmond of Waltham (1) had 11 votes
Roger Sherman Hoar of Concord had 8 votes

For District Delegates - Fourth District

M. Fred O'Connell of Fitchburg (2) had 9 votes
John J. Prindiville of Framingham had 11 votes
15 blanks

For Alternate District Delegates - Fourth District

Owen A. Hoban of Gardner had 15 votes
Charles F. McCarthy of Marlborough had 16 votes
23 blanks

Preference for a Candidate for President of the United States

Champ Clark of Missouri had 14 votes
Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey had 11 votes
2 blanks

Preference for a Candidate for Vice President of the United States

E. H. Foss had 7 votes
C. L. Fairbanks had 1 vote
J. F. Fitzgerald had 2 votes
17 blanks

The used ballots were tied in separate packages sealed and signed, and the Primary Election was voted dissolved

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Petition for Recount.

Southborough May 3, 1912.

We the undersigned qualified voters of (Ward or town) Southborough hereby certify that we have reason to believe and do believe that the records or copy of records made by the primary election officers of the number of votes cast at the primary held April 30th in (Precinct, Ward or town) Southborough are erroneous, inasmuch as less votes were counted for the eight candidates for delegates-at-large in Group 3 on the Republican ballot, pledged to William Howard Taft, than were actually cast for said candidates, that more votes were counted as blanks than should be so counted and that a recount of the ballots cast in such (Precinct, Ward or town,) Southborough will affect the election of such candidates, namely: Winthrop Murray Crane of Dalton, John L. Bates of Boston, Lucius Tuttle of Brookline, John W. Weeks of Newton, Samuel B. Capen of Boston, Samuel L. Elder of Winchester, James F. Cavanagh of Everett, and Edmond Cote of Fall River, and we respectfully ask that a recount be made of the votes cast for the candidates for delegates-at-large named in Group 2 and Group 3 on the Republican ballot and also in connection therewith that a statement be made of the number of such votes returned as blanks for the reason that crosses were made against the names of nine instead of eight of such candidates.

Address April 1, 1912

Name	Street and Number	Town or City
1. Francis D. Newton	Central St.	Southborough
2. Peter W. H. Pierce	Turnpike Road	Southborough
3. Henry M. Rogers	Parkerville Road	Southborough
4. John H. McCloskey	Oak Hill Road	Southborough

5. Allan H. Draper	Central St.	Southborough
6. Albert Willard	Central St.	Southborough
7. Charles S. Parker	Main St.	Southborough
8. Samuel F. Draper	Central St.	Southborough
9. Hiram P. Ring	Oak Hill Road	Southborough
10. Irving L. Horner	Deerfoot Road	Southborough
11. Peter M. McKay	Oak Hill Road	Southborough
12. Edgar M. Smith	Deerfoot Road	Southborough
13. George C. Davis	Main Street	Southborough
14. Charles W. Parmenter	Breakneck Hill Road	Southborough
15. Frederick H. Wells	Central St.	Southborough

Worcester SS.

Personally appeared before me George C. Davis one of the signers to the above petition and made oath to the truth of the statement therein.

Francis D. Newton
Justice of the Peace.

A copy attest:
Chas H. Newton Town Clerk.

Southborough Mass May 8 '12

Upon the foregoing petition a recount of the Ballots was held this day by the Board of Registrars. The petitioners were represented by DeClinton Nichols No errors were found in the counting or records of the Primary Election. It was noted that eight votes were returned as blanks for the reason that crosses were made against the names of nine instead of eight as instructed on the ballot.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southboro June 14 '12.

To Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

At a special meeting of the Selectmen held this date Lyman Pollensby was appointed Lockup keeper for the remainder of the year.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk of
Selectmen

Southborough June 7 1912

To Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

At a special meeting of the Selectmen held this day Thomas W. Lawrence was appointed a Special Police for the care of the Swimming Pool during the remainder of the Town year.

Yours very Truly
Chas. H. Newton clerk of
Selectmen

Southboro June 8 1912

Personally appeared before me Thomas W. Lawrence who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties as above appointed

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

City of Boston
Police Department
Office of the Commissioner

May 2, 1912.

Police Commissioner O'Meara was at his office today and transacted the following business:

* * * * * * * * * *

The petition of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, a railroad corporation having a passenger station in this city, praying for the appointment of

John J. Ryan

being a person in the employment of said railroad corporation, as a railroad police officer of and for said corporation, was acted upon, and upon said petition the person named therein, being a person in the employment of said corporation, was appointed a police officer to act as a railroad police officer of and for said corporation for the purposes and with the powers set forth in Chapter 463 of the Acts of 1906 and Acts in addition thereto and amendatory thereof, to hold said office until said appointment is revoked according to law.

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The above is a true abstract from the records of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston.

Attest:
Thomas Ryan
Chief Clerk, Police Department.

Received and Recorded
June 13, 1912 A true copy attest:
Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk.

Juror Lists
1912

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss. Town of Southborough, June 28, A.D. 1912.

In accordance with Chapter 176 of the Revised Laws and the amendments thereto, We, the Selectmen of the Town of Southborough in said County, have prepared the following list of names of inhabitants of said town to serve as Jurors.

Names	Occupation	Post Office	Residence Southborough
Bent- Newell	Broker	Southboro	Main St.
Draper Allan H.	Carpenter	Fayville	Central St.
Burke James J.	Gardner	Southboro	Newton St.
Eaton Harris D.	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Rd.
Fay George H.	Farmer	Southville	W. Vickery Rd.
Gardner George P. Jr.	Clerk	Southboro	Main St.
Gilmore Alexander	Ice Dealer	Fayville	Winter St.
Harrington Wm. J.	Mechanic	Southville	Highland Rd.
Henderson John J.	Superintendent Woolen Mill	Cordaville	Cottage St.
Howard Herbert B.	Druggist	Southboro	Cordaville Rd.
Hyde Albert F.	Carpenter	Southboro	Main St.
Hyde Herbert L.	Shoemaker	Southboro	Middle Rd.
Jones Charles	Mill Foreman	Cordaville	Southville Rd.
Ladd Harry L.	Mill Operation	Cordaville	Cordaville Rd.
Lincoln Harry R.	Farmer	Southboro	Turnpike Rd.
Outhank William F.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Rd.
Sawin Harry W.	Grain Dealer	Southboro	Latisquama Rd.
Simpson Willard C.	Farmer	Southboro	Middle Rd.
Smith Irving	Horse & Cattle Dealer	Southboro	Turnpike Rd.
Tufts Charles C.	Retired	Southville	Wood St.

Francis D. Newton
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy

Attest: Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester S.S.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Tuesday July 2nd 1912.

at 7-30 O'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles to wit:

Art. 1 To choose a Moderator to preside in said Meeting

Art. 2 To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the use of the School Committee to cover advances in Salaries and other necessary expenses or do or act thereon.

Art. 3 To hear the report of the Committee on Water Supply for the Public Buildings at the Center of the town, appointed at the last annual Town meeting or do or act thereon.

Art. 4 To see what disposal the Town will make of the old School Houses and land (owned by the Town) on which said houses stand or do or act regarding said buildings and land.

Art. 5, To see if the Town will authorize its building Committee to exchange a portion of the land bought for the New School Building in the South part of the town for other land owned by Philip Harrington adjoining the new school land or do or act thereon.

Art. 6 To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to complete the furnishing of the New School Building and for grading the lot or do or act thereon.

Art. 7 To see if the Town will authorize the Highway Surveyor to construct a new drain near the Day School and appropriate a sum of money for the same or do or act thereon.

Art. 8 To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within the present year or pass any vote respecting the same.

And you are hereby required to serve this Warrant by posting up an attested copy hereof at the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville, and at the Town House eight days at least before the time set for holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this eighteenth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

Francis O. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true Copy Attest:
Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

Southborough July 2 1912

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting up an attested copy hereof in the Store + Post Office in Southborough Center at the Post Office in Fayville at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville and at the Town House, Eight days at least before the time set for holding said meeting and have caused the same to be Published in the Southboro Enterprise.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true Copy Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting July 2, 1912.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the Legal Voters of Southborough met in the Town Hall at 7.30 o'clock P.M. July 2, 1912. The Town Clerk read the Warrant and the officers return thereon and under

Art. 1. Chose Francis D. Newton Moderator, by ballot.

Art. 2 1st Voted: to appropriate ($750.00) seven hundred and fifty dollars for the use of the School Committee to cover advances in salaries and other necessary expenses.
2nd Voted: that this sum be raised by taxation the present year.

Art. 3 1st Voted: to leave in the hands of the School Committee.
2nd Voted: to appropriate ($3000.00) three thousand dollars for the use of the School Committee to provide a water supply for the High School Building.

Art. 4 Voted: that the disposal of the old school houses and land (owned by the Town) on which said houses stand be left in the hands of the Selectmen, and that the disposal of the furnishings be left in the hands of the School Committee.

Art. 5 Voted: that the Building Committee of the New School Building in the South part of the Town be given authority to exchange any of the New School land for any land of Philip Harrington, Necessary to complete their plans as presented to the Town at this meeting.

Art. 6 1st Voted: to extend the privilege of the floor to Mr. James A Bigelow a C. E. who explained the plans for the proposed grading of the grounds at the New School Building at the South part of the Town.

2nd Voted; that the sum of ($2500.00) two thousand five hundred dollars be raised and appropriated for the use of the Building Committee to grade the grounds and furnish the New School Building at the South part of the Town.

Art. 7 Voted: to authorize the Highway Surveyor to construct a new drain near the Ray School, and appropreate therefor ($250.00) two hundred and fifty dollars to be raised by taxation the present year.

Art. 8 Voted; to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow ($10,000.00) ten thousand dollars in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within the present year. by a rising vote 49 in favor none against.

See next page

Arts. 3 & 6

Voted to appropriate the sum of ($5,500.00) five thousand five hundred dollars, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the same, and that one thousand dollars a year be raised by taxation, until this amount is paid off.

The expenditure to be under the School Committee, for the water supply of the High School at the Center, and under the School Building Committee for the completion of the grading of the School grounds at the South part of the Town.

See previous action under Arts. 3. & 6.

51 voters, voted in favor none against by a rising vote.

Voted to dissolve the meeting

Charles H. Newton Town Clerk.

Art. 8. Amended See previous page

Voted: That the Town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the taxes of the municipal year beginning January 1, 1912, to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate $10,000.00, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the taxes of said municipal year.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

~~Southborough~~ July 8, 1912

Willard C. Simpson previously appointed by the Selectmen as a Special Police Officer, appeared before me this day and made oath to faithfully perform those duties.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Selectmens office, Southborough Sept. 1, 1912

To Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day it was voted to appoint Richard B. Marston and Joseph Warren Pinkham special policeman without pay until March 1913.

Yours very truly
Selectmen of Southboro
by Chas. H. Newton clerk

Southborough Sept. 7 1912

Personally appeared before me Richard B. Marston and Joseph Warren Pinkham who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of Special police as above appointed.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Selectmens Office Southborough Sept 14 1912

Mr Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

Fannie L. Clark has been appointed weigher of Coal at Southville

Francis D. Newton } Selectmen
Paul L. Lincoln } Southborough

A true copy Attest:
Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

Southborough Sept. 20 1912

Personally appeared before me Fannie L. Clark who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Weigher of Coal as above appointed.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Sept. 21, 1912

This is to certify that I have this day destroyed all Ballots used in the Annual Town election held March 4th 1912, also all Ballots used at the Primary Election held April 30 1912.

Charles H. Newton

Town Clerk of Southborough

Southborough Sept 20 1912

Personally appeared before me this day Lyman Follensby who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Dog Officer.

Chas. H. Newton

Town Clerk

Call for the Primary Election
to be held ~~September~~ September 24, 1912.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough
Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall on Tuesday, the Twenty-fourth Day of September, 1912, at seven o'clock P. M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor for this Commonwealth.
Lieutenant-Governor " "
Secretary " "
Treasurer and Receiver General for this Commonwealth
Auditor " "
Attorney-General " "
Representative in Congress " 13th Congressional District.
Councillor " 7th Councillor "
Senator " 4th Senatorial "
Representative in General Court " 10th Representative "
County Commissioner " Worcester County
County Treasurer " "

and for the Election of the following officers;

Member of State Committee for the 4th Senatorial District.
Members of Town Committee for this Town.
Delegates to State Conventions of Political Parties.

all the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot.

The Polls will be open from Seven to nine P. M.

and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof

one at the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center, one at the Post Office in Fayville, one at the Post Office in Cordaville, and one in the Post Office in Southville, eight days at least before said Primary Election.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this sixth day of September, A. D., 1917.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Sept. 24 1917.

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting an attested copy thereof at the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center, one at the Post Office in Fayville, one at the Post Office in Cordaville, one at the Post Office in Southville eight days at least before date of said Primary Election. and have caused the same to be published in the Southboro Enterprise

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
and officers return thereon.

Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election September 24, 1912.

In accordance with the preceding warrant the qualified voters of Southborough met in the Town Hall at seven O'clock in the evening. Mr. John T. Burnett as Presiding Officer read the warrant and the officers return thereon of the Election Officers previously appointed Wm J. Harrington and A. E. Wright were unable to serve, F. B. Harrington and Lyman Tollenby were appointed in their places.

The Election Officers consisting of Frank B. Harrington Edw. F. Collins, Lyman Tollenby, Chas E. Bagley Andrew R. Sullivan, De C. Nichols and A. L. Newton were qualified by the Presiding Officer, who stationed two at the Ballot Check List and two at the Ballot Box Check List. Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exit from the Polls. The Ballot Box was publicly opened by a Constable and shown to be empties it was again locked, the key being kept by Constable Charles C. Hildreth, the register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 0 0. Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Presiding Election Officer, who in turn gave them to the Ballot Clerks. At seven o'clock the Polls were declared open for voting. At shortly after nine o'clock the Presiding Election officer declared the polls closed they having been kept open at least two hours.

The names of 91 voters were counted as having received ballots, 91 names of voters were checked as having deposited ballots in the ballot box. The register showed 0 0 9 1 There were 91 ballots taken from the ballot box by the Presiding Election Officer, 43 of them were Republican, 48 Democratic, no Socialist.

The counting proceeded as by law directed. The Republican ballots were counted and declaration made as follows

candidates

For Governor
Everett C. Benton had 16 votes
Joseph Walker had 24 votes
blanks 3

For Lieutenant Governor
Robert Luce had 38 votes
blanks 5

For Secretary
Albert P. Langtry had 38 votes
blanks 5

For Treasurer
Elmer A. Stevens had 37 votes
blanks 6

For Auditor
John E. White had 38 votes
blanks 5

For Attorney-General
James M. Swift had 38 votes
blanks 5

For Congressman (thirteenth district)
Richard H. Long had 17 votes
John W. Weeks had 24 votes
blanks 2

For Councillor (seventh district)
Daniel E. Denny had 17 votes
Elmer E. Potter had 16 votes
blanks 10

For Senator (fourth Worcester district)
William A. L. Bazeley had 32 votes
blanks 11

For Representatives in General Court (Worcester)

William S. Duncan	had 26 votes
George A. Hastings	had 18 votes
George L. Wright	had 25 votes
Walter A. Shaw	had 1 vote

blanks 16

For County Commissioner (Worcester)

Arthur C. Moore	had 86 votes

blanks 7

For County Treasurer (Worcester)

Edgar L. Ramsdell	had 11 votes
Fred W. White	had 23 votes

blanks 9

For State Committee (fourth Worcester district)

Charles J. Batcheller	had 35 votes

blanks 8

For Delegates to State Convention.

Augustus E. Wright	had 34 votes
Robert A. Newton	had 37 votes

blanks 15

For Town Committee (Southborough)

Francis W. Newton	had 87 votes
Robert A. Newton	had 86 votes
Augustus E. Wright	had 87 votes
Samuel F. Draper	had 84 votes
E. F. Collins	had 5 votes
F. A. Fleichtner	had 2 votes
P. S. Lincoln	had 2 votes
C. F. Choate	had 1 vote
John F. Burnett	had 1 vote
De C Nichols	had 1 vote
Edw W. Fay	had 1 vote

blanks 58

Then the Democratic Ballots were counted and declaration made as follows:

For Governor
Eugene N. Foss had 81 votes
Joseph E. Pelletier had 13 votes
blanks 4

For Lieutenant Governor
Edward P. Barry had 6 votes
David I. Walsh had 85 votes
blanks 7

For Secretary
Frank J. Donahue had 48 votes
blanks 5

For Treasurer
Joseph E.P. St. Coeur had 40 votes
blanks 8

For Auditor
James F. Carens had 40 votes
blanks 8

For Attorney-General
George V. Anderson had 89 votes
blanks 9

For Congressman (thirteenth district)
Daniel J. Daley had 4 votes
John J. Mitchell had 40 votes
blanks 4

For Councillor (seventh district)
Arthur E. Deagrave had 34 votes
blanks 14

For Senator (fourth Worcester district)
William F. Burke had 43 votes
blanks 5

For Representatives in General Court
Thomas L. Hadley had 33 votes
Walter Augustus Shaw had 1 votes
blanks 22

For County Commissioner
Charles M. Day of Winchendon had 1 vote
blanks 47

For County Treasurer
blanks 48

For State Committee
George P. Cooke had 26 votes
blanks 12

For Delegate to State Convention
Seth H. Howes had 39 votes
blanks 9

For Town Committee	had	34 votes
Daniel H. Harrington	had	32 votes
Seth H. Howes		
John E. Welch	had	30 votes
Chas E. Bagley	had	35 votes
Walter A. Shaw	had	1 vote
John Burnett	had	1 vote
J. J. Burke	had	1 vote

blanks 106

The used ballots were tied in separate packages sealed and signed, and the primary election was voted dissolved

Charles H. Heaton
Town Clerk

Selectmens Office Southborough Oct. 4, 1912.

To Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

At a Special Meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following appointments were made for the remainder of the Town Year:

Harry W. Young as Public Weigher
Fred B. Hamlin " "
Harry W. Young " Weigher of Coal

Yours very Truly
Selectmen of Southborough
by Chas. H. Newton
Clerk

Southborough Oct. 15, 1912

Personally appeared before me Harry W. Young who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Public Weigher and a Weigher of Coal.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Oct. 15, 1912

Personally appeared before me Fred B. Hamlin who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Public Weigher.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Per Board of Selectmen
Southborough, Mass.
August 13 A.D. 1912.

Ordered

That permission be and hereby is granted the Marlboro Hudson Gas Company, a corporation duly established by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to dig up and open the ground in certain streets and highways of the said Town of Southborough for the purpose of laying, maintaining and repairing pipes for the purpose of conveying gas in, along and through the following highways and streets in the said Town of Southborough, to wit: From the Southborough-Framingham town line along the highway known as the Turnpike road to Central Street, Central Street to Boston Road, Boston Road to Newton Street, Newton Street to Framingham Road, Framingham Road to Marlborough Road, Marlborough Road to the Southborough Marlborough town line substantially as shown on a plan as presented and filed in the Clerk's office of said Town of Southborough. The foregoing permission is subject to the following conditions:-

1. That said company shall complete the work of digging the streets, laying pipes and covering the same on or before the first day of January 1913.
2. That the highways and streets shall be left in as good condition in every way as the same now are.
3. All trenches shall be solidly filled and surface rolled with a steam roller to the satisfaction of the Selectmen of Southborough or of the officer appointed by them.
4. That said Company will pay to a supervisor appointed by the Selectmen aforesaid not less than three dollars

per day during the construction of the work.

5. That said Company will indemnify and save harmless the said Town of Southborough against all damages, costs and expenses whatsoever which the Town may be subjected to in consequence of the acts or neglect of said Company, its agents or servants, or in any manner arising from the rights and privileges granted by said Town.

6. Said Company will before any street or highway is disturbed or any work preparatory thereto is begun, execute and deliver to said Selectmen its bond in a penal sum of ten thousand (10,000) Dollars conditioned for the faithful performance of this agreement and the provisions of said permit.

Francis W. Newton
John T. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true Copy Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Per Board of Selectmen
Southborough, Mass.
August 18th A. D. 1912.

Ordered

That permission be and hereby is granted the Marlborough Hudson Gas Company, a corporation duly established by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to dig up and open the ground in certain streets and highways of the said Town of Southborough for the purpose of laying, maintaining and repairing pipes for the purpose of conveying gas in, along and through the following highways and streets in the said town of Southborough, to wit:- From the highway known as Turnpike Road in said town of Southborough over Pleasant and Cherry Sts. to Central St. substantially as shown on a plan as presented and filed in the Clerk's office of said Town of Southborough.

The foregoing permission is subject to the following conditions:-

1. That said company shall complete the work of digging the streets, laying pipes and covering the same on or before the first day of January 1913.
2. That the highways and streets shall be left in as good condition in every way as the same now are.
3. All trenches shall be solidly filled and surface rolled with a steam roller to the satisfaction of the Selectmen of Southborough or of the officer appointed by them.
4. That said Company will pay to a supervisor appointed by the Selectmen aforesaid not less than three dollars per day during the construction of the work.
5. That said Company will indemnify and save harmless the said Town of Southborough against all damages, costs and expenses whatsoever which the Town may be subjected to in

consequence of the acts or neglect of said company, its agents or servants, or in any manner arising from the rights and privileges granted by said town.

6. Said Company will before any street or highway is disturbed or any work preparatory thereto is begun, execute and deliver to said Selectmen its bond in a penal sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars conditioned for the faithful performance of this agreement and the provisions of said permit.

Francis D. Newton
(signed) John J. Burnett } Selectmen of
Paul S. Lincoln } Southborough

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

To Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

The following named persons have been appointed to serve as ballot clerks and tellers at the Election to be held Nov. 5 1912, Wm J. Harrington, Edw F. Collins, Chas. E. Bagley, A. E. Wright, A. R. Sullivan D. C. Nichols, A. J. Newton & H. M. Rogers.

Yours very truly
Chas. H. Newton
Clerk of Selectmen

Warrant for November Election 1912.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough, on

Tuesday November 5th 1912.

at nine of the clock in the forenoon then and there to bring in their votes to the Selectmen for Presidential Electors, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Congressman, Councillor, Senator, two Representatives to the General Court, One County Commissioner, County Treasurer, and to vote Yes or No on the following questions

Amendment to the Constitution relative to the Taxation of Wild or Forest lands, Chapter 115 Resolves of 1912.

Acceptance of Chapter 503 Acts of 1912 entitled an act relative to pensioning laborers in the employ of Cities and Towns.

The Polls will be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon, and may be closed at three-thirty o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

And you are hereby required to serve this warrant by posting up an attested copy hereof at the Store and Post Office and Town House in Southborough Center; at the Post Office in Fayville, At the Post Office Cordaville, and at the Post Office in Southville eight days at least before the time set for said Meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of

this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-second day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul L. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Nov. 5 1912

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies hereof at the Stores, Post Office and Town House in Southborough Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, and at the Post Office in Southville eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and have caused the same to be published in the Southboro Enterprise

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of
Warrant and Officers Return,
Attest;

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk
of Southborough

November Election 1912.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough met at the time and place and for the purpose within mentioned.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk who read the Warrant and the officers return.

The ballot clerks and tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of William J. Harrington, Edward F. Collins, Charles E. Bagley, De Clinton Nichols, Andrew R. Sullivan, A. J. Newton, and Henry M. Rogers were called and qualified by the Town Clerk.

A package supposed to contain 500 Official Ballots was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty. it was then closed and locked Constable Hildreth keeping the keys.

Ballot Clerks were stationed at the Ballot Table check list, tellers were stationed at the check list at Ballot Box. Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the voting place and the Polls were declared open for voters.

The register on the Ballot Box showed 0000.

At 2-30 o'clock all being agreed the Ballot Box was publicly opened and One hundred and fifty ballots taken therefrom. The ballot box was again locked, voting resumed, and counting of the ballots taken out was begun.

At 4-00 P.M. it was voted to close the Polls at 4-05 P.M. The Polls were closed at 4-05 P.M.

The register on the Ballot Box showed 0347

At the Ballot Table 345 Names of voters were checked as having been given ballots. and 345 names were counted checked at Ballot Box list.

Chairman Francis D. Newton counting aloud took one hundred and ninety-five ballots from the Ballot Box making at total of Three hundred and forty-five.

The counting of the ballots cast was carried on as is required by law, and when

completed, public declaration was made as follows:

For Presidential Electors at Large.

Prohib.	John M. Fisher, of Attleborough,	had one vote.
"	Edward Kendall, of Cambridge,	had one vote.
Socialist	Fred Jeffer, of Lawrence,	had one vote.
"	Daniel A. White, of Brocton,	had one vote.
Socialist	Robert Bateson, of Fall River,	had no votes.
Labor	Moritz E. Ruther, of Holyoke,	had no votes.
Progressive	James P. Magenis, of Boston	had one hundred and two votes
Party	Cassius A. Ward, of Boston	had one hundred and two votes
Republican	Rufus D. Adams, of Salem	had one hundred and twelve votes
"	David F. Dillon, of Palmer	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	John W. Cummings, Fall River	had one hundred and eleven votes
	William A. Gaston, of Boston	had one hundred and eleven votes

96 blanks

District No. 1.

Prohib.	Thomas A. Trissell	of Hinsdale	had one vote
Socialist	Wilfred Griffin	of Pittsfield	had one vote
So Labor	Herman Koepke	of Pittsfield	had no votes
Progressive	Cornelius C. Cook	of Pittsfield	had one hundred and two votes
Republican	William A. Burns	of Pittsfield	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	Daniel F. Doherty	of Westfield	had one hundred and eleven votes

18 blanks

District No. 2.

Prohib.	Oliver W. Coff	of Easthampton	had one vote
Socialist	Charles C. Hitchcock	of Ware	had one vote
So Labor	Frederick A. Hagley	of Springfield	had no votes
Progressive	J. Frank Drake	of Springfield	had one hundred and two votes
Republican	Walter S. Robinson	of Springfield	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	Edward H. Lathrop	of Springfield	had one hundred and eleven votes

18 blanks

District No. 3.

Socialist	Robert Laurance	of Clinton	had one vote
Prohib	Hervey S. Cowell	of Ashburnham	had one vote
So. Labor	John A. Anderson	of Gardner	had no votes
Progressive	Frederick Fordick	of Fitchburg	had one hundred and two votes
Republican	George R. Wallace	of Fitchburg	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	Frank H. Pope	of Leominster	had one hundred and eleven votes

18 blanks

District No. 4.

Prohib.	John Holt	of Worcester	had one vote
Socialist	Charles E. Penner	of Worcester	had one vote
So Labor	Joseph Jirka	of Milford	had no votes
Progressive	Frank J. Laurist	of Worcester	had one hundred and two votes
Republican	James Logan	of Worcester	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	John F. Meaney	of Blackstone	had one hundred and eleven votes

18 blanks

District No. 5.

Prohib	John B. Lewis	of Reading	had one vote
Socialist	William J. Carol	of Lowell	had one vote
So Labor	Carl P. Nelson	of Cambridge	had no votes
Progressive	Lewis D. Apsley	of Hudson	had one hundred and two votes
Republican	Henry G. Pollard	of Lowell	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	J. Joseph O'Connor	of Lowell	had one hundred and eleven votes

18 blanks

District No. 6

Prohib	Willard O. Wylie	of Beverly	had one vote
Socialist	James F. Carey	of Haverhill	had one vote
So Labor	Thomas F. Brennan	of Salem	had no votes
Progressive	Nelson B. Clark	of Beverly	had one hundred and two votes
Republican	Alfred E. Lyons	of Haverhill	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	Charles A. Russell	of Gloucester	had one hundred and eleven votes

18 blanks

District No. 7

Prohib	Charles E. McColley	of Lawrence	had one vote
Socialist	Ambrose Miles	of Lynn	had one vote
So Labor	Fred E. Belcher	of Peabody	had no votes
Progressive	Lynn M. Ranger	of Lynn	had one hundred and two votes
Republican	C. Neal Barney	of Lynn	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	Walter H. Creamer	of Lynn	had one hundred and eleven votes

18 blanks

District No. 8.

Prohib	Alfred A. Wright	of Cambridge	had one vote
Socialist	John Diefenthal Jr.	of Cambridge	had one vote
So Labor	Peter O'Rourke	of Medford	had no votes
Progressive	Lawrence G. Brooks	of Cambridge	had one hundred and two votes
Republican	Everett C. Benton	of Belmont	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	Thomas E. Dwyer	of Wakefield	had one hundred and eleven votes

District No. 9.

Prohibition	Henry C. Russell of Malden	had one vote
Socialist	John D. Williams of Malden	had one vote
So Labor	Ernest J. B. Gabarino of Malden	had no voter
Progressive	Eugene H. Cox of Malden	had one hundred and two voter
Republican	Frank M. Sawtelle of Malden	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	James H. Malone of Chelsea	had one hundred and eleven voter 18 blanks

District No. 10.

Prohibition	Aaron L. Woodruff of Boston	had one vote
Socialist	Fred B. Chase of Boston	had one vote
So Labor	Charles J. Svenson of Boston	had no voter
Progressive	Jerome A. Petitte of Boston	had one hundred and two votes
Republican	James W. H. Myrick of Boston	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	John J. Mahony of Boston	had one hundred and eleven votes 18 blanks

District No. 11.

Prohibition	John Morgan of Boston	had one vote
Socialist	George Roewer, Sen. of Boston	had one vote
So. Labor	Henry C. Hess of Boston	had no voter
Progressive	Arthur D. Hill of Boston	had one hundred and two voter
Republican	Frank Vogel of Boston	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	Joseph H. O'Neil of Boston	had one hundred and eleven votes 18 blanks

District No. 12.

Prohibition	Solon W. Bingham of Boston	had one vote
Socialist	Samuel P. Levenberg of Boston	had one vote
So Labor	Ferdienand Houtenbrink jr. of Boston	had no voter
Progressive	Elihu D. Stone of Boston	had one hundred and two voter
Republican	Moses T. Lourie of Boston	had one hundred and twelve votes
Democratic	James F. Powers of Boston	had one hundred and eleven vote 18 blanks

District No. 13.

Prohibition	John A. Nichols	of Boston	had one vote
Socialist	Adam Langill	of Waltham	had one vote
So Labor	Joseph P. Doley	of Walpole	had no voter
Progressive	Norman Marshall	of Newton	had one hundred and two vote
Republican	J. Henry Gleason	of Marlboro	had one hundred and twelve
Democratic	Charles B. Strecker	of Brookline	had one hundred and eleven

District No. 14.

ohibition Albert J. Orem of Sharon had one vote
cialist Joel Tivadean of Brocton had one vote
Labor Patrick H. Loftus of Abington had no votes
gressive Charles S. Miller of Brocton had one hundred and two votes
publican Horace A. Keith of Brocton had one hundred and twelve votes
mocratic Albion C. Drinkwater of Braintree had one hundred and eleven votes
18 blanks

District No. 15

ohibition David Morrison of Fall River had one vote
cialist John W. Lamey of Taunton had one vote
Labor George R. Rigby of Fall River had no votes
gressive Robert A. Dean of Fall River had one hundred and two votes
publican Alfred B. Williams of Taunton had one hundred and twelve votes
mocratic Thomas H. Higgins of Fall River had one hundred and eleven votes
18 blanks

District No. 16

hibition Edwin S. Paulding of Plymouth had one vote
cialist Arthur N. Harriman of New Bedford had one vote
Labor James W. Holden of New Bedford had no votes
gressive Frank E. Rounsell of New Bedford had one hundred and two votes
ublican Joseph Walsh of Falmouth had one hundred and twelve votes
mocratic George M. Harlow of Plymouth had one hundred and eleven votes
18 blanks

For Governor

Charles L. Bird - of Walpole had one hundred and four votes
Eugene N. Foss - of Boston had one hundred and nine votes
Patrick Mulligan - of Boston had no votes
Frank N. Rand - of Haverhill had one vote
Roland D. Sawyer - of Ware had one vote
Joseph Walker - of Brookline had one hundred and sixteen votes
14 blanks

For Lieutenant Governor

Daniel Cosgrove - of Lowell had eighty votes
Alfred H. Evans - of Northampton had one vote
Robert Luce - of Somerville had one hundred and thirteen votes
Robert B. Martin - of Boston had two votes
Dennis McGoff - of New Bedford had no votes
David L. Walsh - of Fitchburg had one hundred and twelve votes

For Secretary

Frank J. Donahue - of Boston — had ninety-four votes
Ellen Hayes - of Wellesley — had two votes
Albert P. Langtry - of Springfield — had one hundred and twenty-one votes
Karl Lindstrand - of Lynn — had one vote
William W. Nash - of Westboro — had five votes
Russell A. Wood - of Cambridge — had seventy-seven votes
45 blanks

For Treasurer

Charles A. Chace - of Swansea — had one vote
David Craig - of Milford — had one vote
Eldon B. Keith - of Boston — had seventy-five votes
Joseph L. P. St. Coeur - of Cambridge — had seventy-seven votes
Elmer A. Stevens - of Somerville — had one hundred thirty-seven votes
Louis F. Weiss - of Worcester — had one vote
58 blanks

For Auditor

James F. Carens - of Newburyport — had ninety-one votes
Herbert B. Griffin - of Boston — had two votes
Octave A. La Riviere - of Springfield — had seventy votes
Sylvester J. McBride - of Watertown — had one vote
Jeremiah P. McNally - of Salem — had two votes
John E. White - of Duxbury — had one hundred twenty-nine votes
50 blanks

For Attorney-General

George W. Anderson - of Boston — had ninety-one votes
Frank Bohmbach - of Boston — had one vote
Freeman J. Crommett - of Chelsea — had two votes
H. Huestis Newton - of Everett — had seventy-six votes
George E. Roewer Jr. - of Boston — had one vote
James M. Swift - of Fall River — had one hundred twenty-five votes
49 blanks

For Congressman - Thirteenth District

George A. Fiel - of Waltham — had fifty-eight votes
John J. Mitchell - of Marlborough — had one hundred forty-seven votes
John W. Weeks - of Newton — had one hundred fourteen votes
26 blanks

For Councillor - Seventh District

Daniel E. Denny - of Worcester — had one hundred twenty-nine votes
Sven E. Hanson - of Worcester — had seventy-five votes
Arthur E. Seagrave - of Uxbridge — had ninety-eight votes
93 blanks

For Senator - Fourth Worcester District

William A. L. Bazeley - of Uxbridge — had one hundred thirty-nine votes
William R. Burke - of Milford — had one hundred and five votes
William Allan Wylie - of Milford — had fifty-eight votes
78 blanks

For Representatives in General Court - Fourth Worcester District

William S. Duncan - of Clinton — had one hundred twelve votes
William H. Falby - of Boylston — had fifty-nine votes
Thomas J. O'Malley - of Clinton — had seventy-five votes
Walter Augustus Shaw - of Southborough — had one hundred sixty-five votes
George L. Wright - of Boylston — had ninety-seven votes
182 blanks

For County Commissioner - Worcester County

Charles M. Day - of Winchendon — had one hundred and six votes
Arthur C. Moore - of Southbridge — had one hundred sixty-nine votes
70 blanks

For County Treasurer

Republican Dem. Ind. Com. Paper
Edgar L. Ramsdell - of Worcester — had one hundred sixty-one votes
Edward A. Ryan - of Worcester — had seventy-five votes
109 blanks

Shall the proposed amendment to the constitution, disqualifying from voting persons convicted of certain offences, be approved and ratified?

Yes. one hundred forty-two votes
No. forty-three votes
160 blanks

Shall the proposed amendment to the constitution, relative to the taxation of wild or forest lands, be approved and ratified?

Yes one hundred forty-three votes
No twenty-nine votes
173 blanks

Shall an act passed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and twelve, entitled "An Act relative to pensioning laborers in the employ of cities and towns", be accepted?

Yes one hundred sixteen votes
No had seventy-two votes
157 blanks

The returns were filled out on the blanks furnished by the Secretary of the Commonwealth and transmitted to him by mail.

The meeting was voted dissolved.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Petition for Recount of Votes cast for Treasurer, Auditor and Attorney-General

Southboro Nov. 8, 1912.

Town Clerk of Southborough Mass.

We, the undersigned registered voters of Southboro Mass., represent that we have reason to believe that the returns of the election officers of said ward or town, of the votes cast at the Election on Nov. 5, 1912 for Treasurer, Auditor, and Attorney General, are erroneous in this respect.

That Elmer A. Stevens, John E. White, and James M. Swift, candidates respectively for Treasurer, Auditor and Attorney General, were credited with more, and Joseph Z. P. St. Coeur, James F. Carens, and George W. Anderson - candidates for the same office, with less votes than were actually cast for them.

We believe a recount of the votes cast in our said Ward or Town will effect the election of one or more of these candidates at said election

We therefore ask that the votes cast for Elmer A. Stevens, John E. White, James M. Swift Joseph Z. P. St. Coeur, James F. Carens, and George W. Anderson, as aforesaid be recounted.

Name	Address
Seth H. Howes	6a Main St.
Patrick M. Salmon	Lyman St.
Frank J. Salmon	Latisquama St.
James McCarthy	White Bagley St.
Thomas H. McDonald	Middle Rd.
William F. Sullivan	White Bagley Road
William J. Boland	East Main St.
William Duncan	Middle Road
Daniel M. Vaughan	Latisquama St.
Francis McNeil	Newton St.

Worcester ss November 8 1912

Then personally appeared Seth H. Howes

one of the signers of the within petition, and took oath to the truth of the statements herein set forth before me

Charles L. Fairbanks
Justice of the Peace
Southboro, Mass

Received and Recorded 4 P.M.
Friday November 8, 1912.
A true copy Attest:
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Nov. 13, 1912.

Upon the foregoing petition for recount, due notice having been given to all interested parties, a recount of the ballots cast was this day made by the Board of Registrars.

Elmer A. Stevens, John E. White, James M. Swift } Not being represented by anyone, the Registrars appointed Albert F. Hyde to act in their interest

Joseph L. P. St. Coeur, James R. Carens, George W. Anderson } Were represented by Charles E. Bagley.

The only difference found was that in Block 4 ballot No. 11, was counted for John E. White, when it should have been counted as a blank.

Following is the result of the recount:-

For Treasurer

Charles A. Chace - of Swansea had one vote
David Craig - of Milford had one vote
Eldon B. Keith - of Boston had seventy-five votes
Joseph L. P. St. Coeur - of Cambridge had seventy-seven votes
Elmer A Stevens - of Somerville had one hundred thirty-two votes
Louis D. Weiss - of Worcester had one vote
53 blanks

For Auditor

James A. Carens - of Newburyport	had ninety-one votes
Herbert B. Griffin - of Boston	had two votes
Octave A. De Riviere - of Springfield	had seventy votes
Sylvester J. McBride - of Watertown	had one vote
Jeremiah D. McNally - of Salem	had two votes
John E. White - of Duxbury	had one hundred twenty-eight

51 blanks

For Attorney-General

George W. Anderson - of Boston	had ninety-one votes
Frank Bohmbach - of Boston	had one vote
Freeman J. Crommett - of Chelsea	had two votes
H. Huestis Newton - of Everett	had seventy-six votes
George E. Rower, Jr. - of Boston	had one vote
James M. Swift - of Fall River	had one hundred twenty-five votes

49 blanks

Chas. H. Newton
Clerk Registrars

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Statement of Votes for Representatives to General Court, Tenth Worcester District

Names of Candidates	Residence	Berlin	Bolton	Boylston	Clinton	Northboro	Southboro	Westboro	West Boylston	Total
William S. Duncan	Clinton	130	83	92	880	135	112	313	109	1854
William H. Talby	Boylston	45	19	32	227	122	59	191	26	721
Thomas J. O'Malley	Clinton	..	..	..	967	50	75	223	19	1368
Walter A. Shaw	Southborough	13	11	12	827	47	165	219	18	1312
George L. Wright	Boylston	118	73	110	682	112	97	312	126	1630
Scattering					3					
Blanks		77	61	60	792	166	182	430	106	1874
		394	258	318	4378	632	690	1688	404	8762

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the Tenth Representative District of Worcester County, certify that the above is a true statement of the returns of votes cast on the Fifth day of November, 1912, for two Representatives to the General Court, made to us by the Selectmen of the Towns in said District.

Frank H. Crossman — Town Clerk of Berlin
Frank A. Powers — Town Clerk of Bolton
George L. Wright — Town Clerk of Boylston
James H. Carr — Town Clerk of Clinton
Francis M. Harrington — Town Clerk of Northboro
Charles H. Newton — Town Clerk of Southboro
Joseph S. Gates — Town Clerk of Westboro
William J. Holmes — Town Clerk of West Boylston

Clinton Mass., Nov. 15, 1912

A true Copy Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk
of
Southborough

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Southborough Dec 1st 1913

Personally appeared before me Allan H. Draper who had previously been apporinted as a Registrar of Voters to fill unexpired term of George Bartilla deceased, and made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Registrar of Voters.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

A meeting of the Board of Registrars of the town of Southborough was duly held at the Town Hall February 24, 1913, at 7.30 o'Clock P.M., for the purpose of considering certain objections filed by W. A. Shaw against the validity of certain nomination papers whereby Charles F. Choate Jr. was nominated as a candidate to serve for three years as a member of the Board of Health of said town, to be voted for at the town meeting to be held in said town on March 3rd next.

Notice of said meeting having been duly given by me in accordance with the law, the meeting was held at the time and place appointed as aforesaid and a majority of the Board of Registrars were present at the hearing, and the said Board of Registrars after hearing all parties who desired to be heard upon the matter of the said objections, including said W. A. Shaw who was personally present at the hearing.

Voted that the written acceptance filed by said Charles F. Choate Jr. whereby he accepted his nomination as a candidate for the office of member of the Board of Health for said town for the term of three years is in due form and was signed with his name by Waldo B. Fay, and that the said Waldo B. Fay was at the time of signing said acceptance legally authorized by the said Charles F. Choate Jr. to sign the same, and that the said nomination paper whereby said Choate was nominated as a candidate to said office, is valid and should be received.

I further certify that said vote was passed by the affirmative vote of a Majority of said Board of Registrars.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Feb. 24, 1913

Warrant for Annual March Meeting 1913

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough, in said County Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet in the Town House, in said Southborough, on

Monday, March 3, A.D., 1913

at eight of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to take action on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary Town Officers and Committees.

Article 3. The votes for Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector Auditor, Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of the Poor, School Committee, Town House Committee, Cemetery Commissioner, Trustees of the Fay Library, Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden, Constables and Board of Health to be on one ballot.

The polls will be open for the election of Officers at eight-fifteen o'clock in the forenoon, and may be closed at two-thirty o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

The following Officers to be chosen by ballot: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector Auditor, Selectman for three years, one one member of the School Committee for

three years, one Overseer of the Poor for three years, Tree Warden, Highway Surveyor, Three members of the Town House Committee, one member of the Cemetery Commissioners for three years, one member of the Board of Health for one year, one member of the Board of Health for two years, one member of the Board of Health for three years. Constables and two Trustees of the Fay Library.

To vote by ballot, Yes or No on granting license for the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors.

To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the legitimate use of the Town, and make appropriations of the same.

To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees, and do or act thereon.

To determine the Manner of collecting the taxes for the ensuing year, or pass any vote respecting the same.

To see if the Town will authorize its collector to use all means for Collecting the Taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed a Collector.

To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to hire such sums of money as may be necessary for the Towns use and pass any vote respecting the same.

To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog Money, and pass any vote respecting the same.

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to defend any Suits which may be brought against the Town, and to prosecute any

Suits in behalf of the Town, or do or act thereon.

To see what action the Town will take to suppress the illegal Sale of Intoxicating Liquors, or do or act thereon.

To see what action if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, for defraying the expenses of Memorial Day, and repairing and decorating soldiers grav

To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifty dollars to be expended by Post 44 Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Section 15, Chapter XXV, of the Revised Laws, or pass any vote respecting the same.

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money necessary for Street Lighting and pass any vote respecting the same.

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract for Lighting any Street or Road not now provided with lights or pass any votes respecting the lighting of streets, roads, or ways.

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for transporting books from the Fay Library to the villages of Cordaville and Southville, or authorize the Trustees to transport said books, or pass any vote respecting the transporting of books from the Fay Library and distributing books in any of the villages in the Town, or do or act thereon.

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General Court in all Matters Regarding Taxation, and to employ counsel as may be necessary to protect the interests of the Town or pass any vote respecting the same.

To see if the Town will appropriate any sum of money unexpended from any special appropriation of last year, if needed to complete any work, or purpose for which said appropriation was made.

To see if the Town will establish the Salary of the Highway Surveyor for the ensuing year or do or act thereon.

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to be expended in Rebuilding or Repairing Parkerville Road between the Boston and Worcester Street Railway and Main Street, or pass any vote respecting the same.

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to Complete the New School House and Grounds in Southville, and to pay overdrafts on account of said School House, or pass any vote respecting the same.

To see if the Town will revoke the action of the Town whereby it voted to accept Section 336 of Chapter 11, or corresponding provisions of earlier laws pertaining to the election of Highway Surveyor.

To see if the Town will choose a Committee to purchase coal or other supplies for the several departments of the Town or do or act thereon.

To see if the Town will instruct the Highway Surveyor to build Sidewalks in any Village in the Town and appropriate money for the same or do or act thereon.

To see if the Town will appropriate money for reshingling the Fire House in Southboro Center, or pass any vote regarding repairs thereon.

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the repair or rebuilding any part of Main Street, or pass any vote respecting said Street.

To see if the Town will request the Highway Surveyor to cause the brush on the borders of any of the Highways to be removed, or pass any vote respecting the same.

To see if the Town will ratify and approve of payments by the Treasurer of overdrafts made by any Committee or Department as appear in the Auditors report for the year 1912, or do or act thereon.

To see if the Town will choose a Committee of three or more persons, to examine into the finances of the Town and the administration of the various Departments and report to the tax payers before Jan. 1, 1914, or pass any vote respecting the same.

To see if the Town will so amend its By-Laws as to provide notice of all Special Town Meetings to all voters by post card or otherwise, or do or act thereon.

32. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to negotiate with the Metropolitan Water Board regarding use by the Town people of the State lands X within the Town of Southboro, or pass any votes concerning the same.

33. To see if the Town will appropriate money for Play Grounds, or do or act thereon.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Store and Post Office in Southboro Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville, and on the Town House in Southborough, eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this fifteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough March 3, 1913.

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting an attested copy at the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville,

and at the Town House in Southborough,
Eight days at least before the time set
for said meeting and have caused the same
to be published in the Southborough Enterprise

Charles C Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy, Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Annual March Meeting 1913

In accordance with the preceding Warrant, the legal voters of the Town of Southborough met in the Town Hall at eight o'clock in the forenoon of March 3rd.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk who read the call, articles 1, 2, & 3, and the Constables return of the Warrant, the meeting voting to dispense with the reading of articles 4 to 33 inclusive.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers, previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of Adoniram J. Newton, A. E. Wright, Andrew R. Sullivan, Henry M. Rogers, William Harrington, Harry A. McMaster, Edward F. Collins, and William J. O'Neill, were qualified by the Town Clerk, to be assigned to the various tables as needed.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exchit from the Polls, and under

Article 1 Seth H. Howes was elected moderator by ballot.

An attested check list was delivered to the Ballot Clerks, and another to the checkers at the Ballot Box.

A package supposed to contain 517 Official Ballots and another containing 120 official ballots (for School Committee only) was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Moderator and his receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was opened by the Moderator and publicly shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked by Constable Hildreth who retained the Key.

The Registry on the Ballot Box showed [0][0][0][0]

The Moderator declared the Polls open at 8-15 A.M.

Art. 5 Voted: by a rising vote, forty-three in favor none against to raise the sum of $43,980.00 Forty-three thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars and that the same be assessed upon the estates within the Town to pay town debts and charges, and that the same be appropriated as follows:-

Art. 5 Con.	Voted to appropriate for Schools and Incidentals	$12,500.00
appropriations	Voted to appropriate for Support of Poor	2000.00
	Voted to appropriate for Contingent Fund	3000.00
	Voted to appropriate for State Aid & Old Age Relief	300.00
	Voted to appropriate for Cemeteries	300.00
	Voted to appropriate for Common + Town House Grounds	150.00
	Voted to appropriate for Street Lighting	5,000.00
	Voted to appropriate for Tree Warden	1500.00
	Voted to appropriate for Tree Warden (apply to new Sprayer)	500.00
	Voted to appropriate for Firemen Services	500.00
	Voted to appropriate for Fire Department	350.00
	Voted to appropriate for Snow Bills	300.00
	Voted to appropriate for Salaries	2,405.00
See Art. 14	Voted to appropriate for G.A.R. Relief	50.00
See Art. 12	Voted to appropriate for Liquor Sale Suppression	100.00
See Art. 29	Voted to appropriate for Main Street	2,000.00
See Art. 13	Voted to appropriate for Memorial Day	100.00
See Art. 33	Voted to appropriate for Play Grounds	100.00
	Voted to appropriate for Highways	3,500.00
	Voted to appropriate for Retirement of Bond	2,000.00
	Voted to appropriate for Retirement of Notes	2,000.00
	Voted to appropriate for Interest on Bonds Notes	1,500.00
	Voted to appropriate for Running Expenses of New Library	1,300.00
See Art. 26	Voted to appropriate for Reb Engine House	175.00
	Voted to appropriate for Printing Assessors doings to include Poll tax lists	200.00
See Art. 17	Voted to appropriate for Transporting Library Books	100.00
See Art. 22	Voted to appropriate for Unpaid bills South Union School	750.00
See Art. 22	Voted to appropriate for Grading South Union School Grounds	1,300.00
	Total	$43,980.00

See Art. 10 — Voted to appropriate the dog Money: ½ to the Schools, ½ to the Public Library

Voted to authorize the Assessors to print their doings for the year 1913, including the poll tax lists.

The appropriation committee recommended $300.00 to repair Town fences at Connell

bridge and North of Deerfoot Dairy. The Town voted to make these repairs but to take the money from the regular Highway appropriation, under direction of the Highway Surveyor.

Art. 6 The reports of the various Town Officers were acted upon and accepted.

In the Selectmen Report, on Page 110, 11 line, the bond indebtedness should read $35,500.00 not $25500.00 as printed.

The Auditor stated that on Page 4, there was an error in printing, in that all items against Snow Bills should have been Tree Warden, and all items against Tree Warden should have been Snow Bills.

The Auditors report was accepted.

The Auditors report as a whole was acted upon and accepted with changes mentioned above.

Under report of School Building Committee it was voted to extend the privilege of the floor to Mr. Whitney who spoke about schools.

Art. 7 Voted: that all Poll Taxes in Southborough the present year be payable on demand, and that all single poll taxes not paid sixty days after having been put into the hands of the Collector, shall be put into the hands of a Constable for collection.

All other taxes to be paid before the first Monday in December 1913 if not then paid interest at the rate of six per cent per annum shall be added until paid, If not paid by the first Monday in January 1914, the Collector is instructed to collect the same according to law. Provided that there shall be discounted from any tax bill other than poll taxes, paid before December first and after July thirty-first, an amount equal to six per cent per annum for each whole month it is so paid before December first.

Art: 8 Voted: to authorize the Collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Art: 9 Voted: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the taxes of the municipal year beginning January 1, 1913, to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate $15,000.00 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the taxes of said municipal year. 77 Votes voted in favor, none against

Art: 10 Voted: under appropriations.

Art: 11 Voted: to authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the Town, and to prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town,

Art: 12 Voted: to leave in the hands of the Selectmen. (See also under appropriations)

Art: 13 Voted: under appropriations

Art: 14 Voted: under appropriations

Art: 15 Voted: under appropriations

Art: 16 Voted: to pass the article

Art: 17 Voted: to authorize the Trustees of Jay Library to transport books to and from Jay Library and the villages of Cordaville + Southville and appropriate therefor the sum of $100.00

Art. 18 Voted: to authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General Court in all matters regarding taxation, and to employ counsel as may be necessary to protect the interests of the Town.

Art. 19 Voted: to pass the article

Art. 20 Voted: that the salary of the Highway Surveyor be 10% of all money expended under his direction, for the ensuing year.

Art. 21 Voted: to pass this article

Art. 22 Voted: $750.00 be appropriated to complete payments on School Building at South part of the Town.
Voted: that a sum not exceeding $1300.00 be appropriated for the use of the Building Committee to complete the grounds at the New South School

At 12-10 it was voted to adjourn till 1 o'clock P.M. At 1-15 P.M. business was resumed, the polls having been kept open.

Art 23 Voted, to pass the article.

Art. 24 Voted to choose a committee of three consisting of, Chairman of School Committee, Chairman of Library Committee, and Chairman of Selectmen, said committee to receive bids, contracts to be awarded to party furnishing most favorable terms, for supplying the several departments of the Town with Coal.

Art. 25 Voted: to pass the article.

Art. 26 Voted: to appropriate a sum not exceeding $175.00 for reshingling the Fire House in Southboro Center, and for making other necessary repairs

Art. 27 Voted; to appropriate ($2,000.00) Two thousand dollars for the repair of and rebuilding Main St. from the house of Geo. P. Gardner to Southboro Arms Hotel, Work to be done by Highway Surveyor under supervision of Massachusetts Highway Commission.
Resolved; that the maintainance of Main St. be under the Highway Surveyor.

Art. 28 Voted; to authorize the Highway Surveyor to consult with owners of land at corners where Cordaville & Parkerville roads cross the Boston and Worcester Turnpike, in regard to removing trees and brush which now obstruct the view.

Art. 29 Voted; to ratify and approve of payments by the Treasurer of overdrafts made by any Committee or department as appear in the Auditors Report for the year 1912.

Art. 30 Voted that a committee of five persons be chosen by voice vote, with authority to examine into the finances of the Town and the administration of the various departments and report in print to the tax payers on or before Jan. 1, 1914. no member of said committee to be a salaried office holder of the Town.
The meeting chose
Charles F. Choate Jr.
Raymond H. Dodson Esq.
Thomas P. Lindsay
Augustus E. Wright
Lyman Tollansby

Art. 31 Voted; that the Town so amend its By-Laws as to provide that the Town Clerk send notice of all Special Town Meetings to all voters by post card.
Voted; that the Committee appointed under article 30. make recomendations to the Town in regard to changes in the Town By-laws.

Art. 32 Voted: that the chair appoint a committee of three to negotiate with the Metropolitan Water Board regarding use by the Town people of the State Lands within the Town of Southboro.

Chair appointed Charles F. Choate Jr. Patrick M. Salmon and J. H. McCloskey.

Art 33 Voted; to appropriate $100.00 for Play Grounds in Fayville.

Voted to close the Polls at 3-45 P.M.

Voted that the Chair appoint a committee of three to have charge of the Fayville Hall.

Chair appointed Daniel J. Draper
John H. McCloskey
Josiah True.

At three O'clock all the Election Officers, Moderator and Town Clerk being agreed, it was voted to take out 200 ballots from the ballot box, and begin the canvas, Constable Hildreth unlocked and again locked the Ballot Box, retaining the keys in his possession, voting continued till 3-45 when the Polls were closed.

The Ballot Clerks check list and the Tellers check list were each counted aloud, and on each list were counted the names of 289 male voters, and 63 female voters checked as having voted. The moderators count of ballots taken from the ballot box was 289 and 63 respectively, The register on the Ballot Box showed 0352

The ballots were counted as required by law and public declaration made as follows;

Art 2-3 For Town Clerk
B. 3/3 by Moderator Charles H. Newton had two hundred and forty votes 49 blanks

Art 23 Con.

For Town Treasurer

Thomas E. Waldron had two hundred and thirty-six votes

58 blanks

For Collector of Taxes

De Clinton Nichols had two hundred and forty votes

49 blanks

For Selectmen 3 years

Paul L. Lincoln had two hundred and thirty-four votes

55 blanks

For Assessor 3 years

Edmund A. Hyde had two hundred and twenty Eight votes

61 blanks

For Overseer of the Poor 3 years

Edmund A. Hyde had two hundred and twenty-Three votes

66 blanks

For School Committee 3 years

Samuel Clark had one hundred eighty five votes

Daniel F. Harrington had one hundred fifty-eight votes

Andrew Sullivan had one vote

8 blanks

For Town House Committee

John J. Mowery had two hundred and twelve votes

Michael R. Maley had two hundred and twelve votes

De Clinton Nichols had two hundred and twenty three votes.

P. M. Salmon had one vote

219 blanks

For Cemetery Commissioner

Albert E. Hutt had ninety-two votes

Francis D. Newton had one hundred and seventy-four votes

28 blanks

Art 2 #3

For Constables

S 3/4 William Bagley had two hundred and seven votes
S 3/7 William Duncan had two hundred and fifteen votes
S 3/11 Lyman Pollenby had two hundred and eight votes
S 3/3 Charles C. Hildreth had two hundred and twenty-five votes
S 3/- Francis D. Newton had two hundred and twenty-three votes
blanks 867

For Auditor

S 3/- Charles E. Bagley had two hundred and thirteen votes
blanks 76

For Highway Surveyor

William A. Gould had two hundred twenty seven votes
Lyman Pollenby had one vote
blanks 61

For Tree Warden

Harry Burnett had two hundred and twelve votes
blanks 77

For Trustee Fay Library 3 years

Charles E. Bagley had two hundred and twelve votes
Paul S. Lincoln had two hundred and fourteen votes
blanks 162

Trustee Fay Library 1 year

Charles F. Choate Jr. had two hundred twenty-two votes
blanks 67

For Board of Health 3 years

Charles F. Choate Jr. had one hundred forty six votes
Walter A. Shaw had one hundred and sixteen votes
blanks 27

For Board of Health 2 years

S 3/17 John L. Bacon had one hundred eighty-four votes
Theophilus W. Wilmarth had nine votes
blanks 96

Art. 2 & 3 con.

For Board of Health 1 year
S 7/11 Michael R. Maley had two hundred and eleven votes
blanks 78

The following officers were elected by nomination from the floor.

Measurers of Wood and Bark

S 3/11 Paul S. Lincoln
S 6/7 Harry A. Mc Master
S 7/11 De Clinton Nichols
Marcus Jackson

Surveyors of Lumber

C. J. Parmenter
S 3/14 De Clinton Nichols

Public Weighers

Francis Wright
S 3/7 H. W. Young
S 4/15 Thomas Fitzgerald
De Clinton Nichols
Chas. B. Lawin
S 3/7 Paul S. Lincoln

Field Drivers

John J. Flannery
Howard Lincoln
Frank H. Buck
Geo. Peabody Gardner Jr.
(S 3/7 Laurence Kiesner
(S. 7/11 Martin S. Davis
Edward C. Nichols
Alvah Ruggles
S 3/7

Pound Keeper

Henry Newton

Fence Viewers

S. 3/11 Lyman Follensby
S 3/10 Raymond H Overton
Thomas P. Lindsay
S 3/7 John J. Burnett

Art. 4 For License to sell intoxicating liquors

Yes	91
No	167
blanks	31

The ballots cast, check lists and tally sheets were tied in packages, properly signed and sealed, as by law required, and it was voted to dissolve the meeting.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Appointments 1913

Southborough Mar: 7 1913.

To Charles H. Newton Town Clerk
Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following appointments were made for the ensuing year.

Charles H. Newton — Clerk Board of Selectmen
Samuel A. Draper — Burial Agent-

S 4/15 James J. Stockwell
A. E. Wright
S 3/14 De E. Nichols
Herbert H. Jones
S 4/15 Thomas Fitzgerald
John Healey
Fred B. Hamlin
H. W. Young
} Weighers of Coal

Wm Smiddy
L. M. Drew
Fred M. Dole
} Special police without pay for the protection of the waters of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board in Southboro

Marcus Jackson
John J. Bennett
} Special Police without pay

Michael F. Maley — Special Police without pay on St Marks School property.

John Healey - Special Police without pay for the protection of the Masonic Building property.

John J. Flannery for Southboro Center
Chas E. Hildreth for Fayville & East Hall
Wm E O'Neill for Cordaville
John J. O'Brien for Southville
James B. Johnson for West Part
Parker Wheman for Flagg Dist
} Fire Wardens

Appointments Con. 1913

Harry Bennett Gypsy & Brown tail moth Agent

Harry Bennett Forest Fire Warden (Apt. approved by State Forester Mar. 11, '13)

S. 3/27 Willard C. Simpson Sealer of Weights & Measures

S. 3/20 Silas G. Allen Inspector of Animals @ $200.00 (Apt. approved by Commissioner of Animal Indu

Irving Smith Registrar of Voters for 3 years.

Yours very truly
Chas. H. Newton
Clerk Bd Selectmen.

Southborough Mar. 7, 1913.

Primary Election Clerks April 1, 1913

To Chas. H. Newton Town Clerk.

Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day, the following named persons were appointed election clerks & ballot clerks for the Primary Election April 1, 1913

Yours

Charles E. Bagley
A. J. Newton
Andrew R. Sullivan
Wm. J. Harrington
H. M. Rogers
Edw. F. Collins
De C. Nichols
A. E. Wright

Your very truly
Selectmen of Southborough
by Charles H. Newton Clerk

Southborough Mar. 22, '13

The above named election clerks were duly notified in writing by me.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Special Election Clerks Apr. 15, 1913

Southborough Mar 21 1913

To Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

The following named persons were this day appointed Ballot Clerks and Tellers to serve at the Special Election to be held April 15, 1913.

Charles E. Bagley	H. M. Rogers
A. J. Newton	E. F. Collins
Andrew R. Sullivan	De. C. Nichols
Wm. J. Harrington	A. E. Wright

Yours very truly

Selectmen of Southborough

by Charles H. Newton
Clerk.

Call for Primary Election

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall on Tuesday the first day of April 1913, at seven o'clock P. M. to bring in their votes to the Primary officers for the nomination of Candidates of Political Parties

For the office of Representative in Congress Thirteenth District, to fill vacancy, (caused by the resignation of John W. Weeks) for the remainder of the term of two years, from the fourth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

The Polls will be open from seven P.M. to nine P.M.

And you are directed to serve this call by posting attested copies thereof at the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center, at the Post Office in Fayville at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville, and at the Town Hall eight days at least before the date of said Primary Election. and by publishing the same in the Southboro Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this call with your doings thereon to the presiding officer at said Primary Election.

Given under our hands this seventh day of March, in the year one

thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Francis D. Hemenway
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} selectmen of Southborough

Southborough April 1st 1913

I have served this call as herein directed by posting an attested copy at the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville at the Post Office in Southville and at the Town Hall, eight days at least before the date of said Primary Election, and have caused the same to be published in the Southboro Enterprise

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough.

A true copy of Call
And of Officers return,
Attest: Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Special Primary Election

In accordance with the preceding Call, the qualified voters of Southborough met in the Town Hall at seven oclock in the evening. Mr. John J. Burnett as presiding officer read the Call and the Constables return.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen were qualified by the Presiding Officer who stationed two at the Ballot Table, two at the Ballot Box Table. An attested check list was delivered by the Town clerk to the checkers at each Table. Also a package supposed to contain 300 Democratic, 350 Republican, 250 Progressive Ballots. was delivered to the Ballot Clerks.

The Ballot Box was publicly shown to be empty. the register being at 0000.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the Polls.

At six Minutes past Seven oclock the Polls were declared open for voting.

At six minutes past nine the polls were declared closed, they having been kept open two hours.

When the Polls were declared open, the ballot box was locked by Constable Hildreth who did not unlock it until the polls were declared closed.

The names of 22 voters were counted as having received ballots, 22 names of voters were checked as having deposited ballots in the Ballot Box, The Register showed 0022 There were 22 ballots taken from the Ballot Box by the Presiding Election officer. 14 of them were Republican, 8 of them were Democratic and there were no Progressives.

The counting proceeded as by law directed Each Party being counted separately and public declaration thereof being made before the ballots of another party were counted. The result was as follows:-

Republican Party

For Congressman (thirteenth District)
Alfred L. Cutting of Weston had seven votes
James Henry Gleason of Marlborough had seven votes
No blanks

Democratic Party

John J. Mitchell of Marlborough had eight votes
No blanks

Progressive Party

Norman H. White of Brookline had no votes
No blanks

The ballots cast by each party were sealed in separate packages and the Primary Election was voted dissolved.

The Town Clerk filled out the returns and transmitted them at once by mail to the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester s.s.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote for State Officers to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Tuesday the fifteenth day of April 1913 at Seven o'clock in the forenoon, to give in their votes to the Selectmen for

Representative in Congress to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of John W. Weeks, and for the remainder of the term of two years from the fourth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

The polls will be open at seven o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at 3-30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Store and Post Office in Southborough Center at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville and at the Town House in Southborough eight days at least, before the time set for said meeting and by publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Selectmen at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-ninth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred

and thirteen.

Francis D. Hueston } Selectmen
John J. Burnett } of
Paul A. Lincoln } Southborough

Southborough April 15 1913

I have served this warrant as directed by Posting an attested copy in the Store and Post Office in Fayville at the Post Office in Cordaville at the Post Office in Southville, and on the Town House in said Southborough, eight days at least before the time set for said meeting and have caused the same to be published in the Southboro Enterprize.

Charles E. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy Attest:
Charles H. Hueston
Town Clerk

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Special Election April, 15, 1913.

In accordance with the preceding warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough met at the time and place and for the purpose within mentioned.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk who read the Warrant and the Officers return, [illegible] Ballot Clerks and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen were called and qualified by Selectman Francis D. Newton.

A package supposed to contain 550 Official Ballots was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked, Constable Hildreth retaining the keys.

The register on the Ballot Box showed 0000

Ballot clerks were stationed at the Ballot Table check list, and tellers at the Ballot Box check list, Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the Poting place and the Polls were declared open for voting at 7 o'clock A.M.

At 2-30 P.M. all being agreed 100 ballots were taken out sorted and counted, at 3-00 P.M. another 100 ballots were taken out and counted.

There being no objections the Polls were closed at 3-37 P.M.

The register on the Ballot Box showing 0252

At the Ballot Clerks table 252 names of voters were counted checked as having received ballots, and 252 names were counted checked at the Ballot Box list as having deposited ballots.

Selectman John J. Burnett as presiding Election Offier had the constable unlock

the ballot box, Mr. Burnett counting aloud took 52 ballots from the Ballot Box which made a total of 252 ballots cast.

The counting of the same continued as is by law required, and when completed public declaration was made as follows:

For Congressman - Thirteenth District - to fill vacancy
Alfred D. Cutting - of Weston, Republican
had eighty-four votes (84),
John J. Mitchell - of Marlborough, Democratic
had one hundred thirty-four votes (134),
Norman H. White - of Brookline Progressive Party
had thirty-four votes (34),
there were no blanks.

The returns were filled out on blanks furnished by the Secretary of State and transmitted to him at once by special delivery letter.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Appointment

Weigher of Coal

Southborough May 9, 1913.

To Charles H. Newton Town Clerk.

Dear Sir:- At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day Fannie L. Clark was appointed a Weigher of Coal.

Yours very truly

Chas H. Newton clerk of Board.

Southborough May 22, 1913.

Personally appeared before me Fannie L. Clark who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Weigher of Coal.

Charles H. Newton

Town Clerk

Southborough June 16, 1913

Personally appeared before me Thomas W. Lawrence who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Special Officer for the care of the Swimming Pool.

Charles H. Newton

Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester ss

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet in the Town Hall in said Southborough on Wednesday June 25th, 1913 at eight o'clock P. M., to act on the following articles.

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to unite with the City Government of Marlborough and the Selectmen of Westborough, and Northborough, Hudson, and other neighboring towns for the purpose of improving the lighting conditions of such city and Towns; To unite in hiring an expert on gas and electricity, if necessary to go before the Electric Light Commissioners to voice their grievances or to act anything relating to the same.

Article 3. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to hire such further sums of money as may be necessary for the Towns use and pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize and empower the Selectmen to sign deeds or other papers necessary to convey a certain parcel of tract of

land adjoining the land of the New South Union School to Philip Harrington or do on act thereon.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting up an attested copy thereof at the Store and Post Office in Southboro Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville and on the Town House in said Southborough eight days at least before the time set for said meeting and by publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this sixth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough June 25 1913.

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting up an attested copy thereof at the store and Post office in Southborough Center, at the Post office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville and on the Town House in said Southborough, eight days at least before the time set for said meeting and have

caused the same to be published in the Southboro Enterprise.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough.

A true copy of Warrant
and officers return,

Attest: Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk.

Special Town Meeting June 25. 1913.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the legal voters of Southborough met in the Town Hall at 8.00 o'clock P.M. June 25, 1913 The Town Clerk read the Warrant, and the officers return thereon and under.

Art. 1. Francis D. Newton was elected moderator by ballot.

Art. 2. Voted, that the Town authorize the Selectmen to unite with the City Government of Marlboro and the Selectmen of Westborough, Northborough, Hudson and other neighboring towns for the purpose of improving the lighting conditions of such city and towns: to unite in hiring an expert on gas and electricity, if necessary, to go before the Electric Light Commissioners to voice their grievances, and appropriate $100.00 therefor from funds in hands of Town Treasurer.

Art. 3, Voted, that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the taxes of the municipal year beginning Jan. 1, 1913 to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate $15,000.00 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the taxes of said municipal year.

28 voters, voted in favor, none against, by rising vote.

Art. 4 Voted, to authorize and empower the Selectmen to sign deeds or other papers in behalf of the Town necessary to convey a certain parcel or tract of land adjoining the land of the New South Union School, to Philip Harrington.

Voted to dissolve the meeting

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Juror List
1913

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss. Town of Southborough, June 27, 1913

In accordance with Chapter 176 of the Revised Laws and the amendments thereto, We, the Selectmen of the Town of Southborough in said County, have prepared the following list of names of inhabitants of said town to serve as jurors.

Names	Occupation	Post Office	Street
Allen Silas G.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Road
Collins Edward F.	Retired	Southboro	Latisquama Rd.
Bent Newell	Broker	Southboro	Main St.
Boutilier Walter B.	Draughtsman	Southville	Southville Rd.
Brewer Walter B.	Farmer	Framingham R.F.D.	Boston Rd.
Draper Allan H.	Carpenter	Fayville	Central St.
Eaton Harris D.	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Road
Fay George H.	Farmer	Southville	Mt Vickery Rd
Gilmore Alexander dec	Dealer	Winter	Winter St
Harrington William B.	Mechanic	Southville	Highland Rd.
Howard Herbert B.	Druggist	Southville	Cordaville Rd.
Hyde Albert F.	Janitor	Southboro	Main St.
Hyde Herbert A.	Shoemaker	Southboro	Middle Rd.
Jones Charles	Mill Foreman	Cordaville	Southville Rd.
Lincoln Harry R.	Farmer	Westboro R.F.D.	Turnpike Rd.
Onthank William F.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Rd.
Savin Harry W.	Grain Dealer	Southboro	Latisquama
Sullivan Andrew R.	Plaster Maker	Southville	Southville Rd.
Tufts Charles C.	Retired	Southville	Wood St.
Wright Augustus E.	Merchant	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough July 3, 1913.

This is to certify that Willard C. Simpson who was appointed by the Selectmen on June 27. as a Special Police Officer for the remainder of the year was duly notified by me, and has made oath before me to the faithful performance of the duties of a Special Police Officer.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough July 3, 1913.

This is to certify that Silas G. Allen, who was this day appointed by the Selectmen as a Special Police Officer, has made oath before me to the faithful performance of the duties of a Special Police Officer.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election Officers Appointed

Southborough September 5, 1913

To Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day, the following persons were appointed to serve as Election Officer at the Primary Election to be held Tuesday September 23, 1913. Kindly notify them.

Yours very truly
Chas. H. Newton
Clerk of Selectmen.

William J. O'Neil
A. J. Newton
Andrew R. Sullivan
William J. Harrington
Henry M. Rogers
Edward F. Collins
De C. Nichols
Harry A. McMaster

A true copy Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town, who are qualified to vote in Primaries, to meet in the Town Hall, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of September 1913, at seven o'clock P. M., for the following purposes: To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the

Nomination of Candidates

of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor	for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant-Governor	for this Commonwealth
Secretary	for this Commonwealth
Treasurer and Receiver General	for this Commonwealth
Auditor	for this Commonwealth
Attorney-General	for this Commonwealth
Councillor	for 7th Councillor District
Senator	for 4th Senatorial District
Two Representatives in General Court	for 10th Representative District
County Commissioner	for Worcester County
Two Associate Commissioners	for Worcester County
District Attorney	for Worcester District
Register of Probate and Insolvency	for Worcester County

And for the election of the following officers:

District member of State Committee for each political party for the 4th Senatorial District

Five members of the Democratic Town Committee

Five members of the Republican Town Committee

Five members of the Progressive Party Town Committee

Delegates to State Conventions of Political Parties

All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot. The polls will be open from seven to nine P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof eight days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this fifth day of September, A.D. 1913

Francis D. Newton
John J. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
Selectmen of Southborough.

A true copy Attest:
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Sept. 23, 1913

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies hereof at the store and Post Office in Southborough Center at the Post Office in Fayville at the Post Office in Cordaville at the Post Office in Southville and at the Town House eight days at least before the time of said meeting and have caused the same to be published in the Southboro Enterprise.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Officer return
Attest: Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election September 20, 1913.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the voters of Southborough qualified to vote in Primaries met in the Town Hall at seven o'clock in the evening Mr. John J. Burnett as Presiding Officer read the Warrant and the officers return thereon

The Election Officers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of William J. O'Neil, Edmund J. Newton Andrew R. Sullivan William J. Harrington Henry M. Rogers, Edward F. Collins, Wm C. Nichols Harry A. McMaster, were qualified by the Town Clerk.

The presiding officer then stationed two of these men at the Ballot Table Check List, two at the Ballot Box Check list, one at the Ballot Box which was publicly opened and showed to be empty, it was then locked the key being kept by Constable Hildreth, The register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 0 0

Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delibered by the Town Clerk to the Presiding Election Officer, who in turn gave them to the ballot clerks.

Officers were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the polls, at 7-05 the Polls were declared opened. At shortly after 9-00 oclock the polls were declared closed, they having been kept open at least two hours.

The names of 61 voters were checked as having received ballots, 61 names of voters were checked as having deposited ballots in the Ballot Box, The Register showed 0 0 6 1. There were 61 Ballots taken from the Ballot Box by the Presiding Election Officer. 38 R. 18 D. 5 P.

The counting proceeded as by law directed, The Republicon ballots were counted, and declaration made as follows:

Candidates

For Governor

Everett C. Benton had 19 votes
Augustus P. Gardner had 18 votes
blanks 1

For Lieutenant-Governor

August H. Goetting had 37 votes
blanks 1

For Secretary

William L. Kinney had 35 votes
blanks 3

For Treasurer

Charles Z. Burrill had 28 votes
Maurice Kane had 6 votes
blanks 4

For Auditor

John E. White had 34 votes
blanks 4

For Attorney General

James M. Swift had 35 votes
blanks 3

For Councillor

Daniel E. Denny had 32 votes
blanks 6

For Senator

William A. L. Bazelley had 33 votes
blanks 5

For Representatives in General Court

George E. Dow had 36 votes
George McLeod had 31 votes
blanks 9

For County Commissioner
George W. Cook had 30 votes
Josiah B. Shattuck had 8 votes
blanks 5

For Associate Commissioners
Thomas C. Sheldon had 33 votes
blanks 5

For District Attorney
James A. Stiles had 35 votes
blanks 8

For Register of Probate and Insolvency
Harry H. Atwood had 19 votes
Orra L. Stone had 16 votes
blanks 6

For State Committee
Charles J. Batcheller had 33 votes
blanks 5

For Delegate to State Convention
Augustus E. Wright had 33 votes
blanks 5

For Town Committee (five Members)
Francis D. Newton had 36 votes
Augustus E. Wright had 36 votes
Samuel T. Draper had 36 votes
Robert Albro Newton had 36 votes
C. F. Choate Jr. had 2 votes
Edward W. Fay had 1 vote
R. A. Flickinger had 1 vote
blanks 2

The Democratic count was as follows
Candidates
For Governor
David L. Walsh had 16 votes
blanks 2

For Lieutenant Governor

Edward P. Barry	had	6 votes
Richard H. Long	had	12 votes
	blanks	0

For Secretary

Frank J. Donahue	had	14 votes
	blanks	4

For Treasurer

Frederick W. Mansfield	had	10 votes
Joseph L. P. St. Coeur	had	5 votes
	blanks	13

For Auditor

Frank H. Pope	had	13 votes
	blanks	15

For Attorney-General

Thomas J. Boynton	had	12 votes
	blanks	6

For Councillor

John T. Burnett	had	1 vote
Edmund Mortimer	had	1 vote
Charles E. Bagley	had	1 vote
	blanks	15

For Senator

Willard J. Hunter	had	12 votes
	blanks	6

For Representatives in General Court

Eben S. Cobb	had	4 votes
Fred A. Leonard	had	8 votes
Walter D. MacCarthy	had	13 votes
	blanks	11

For County Commissioner
Charles M. Day had 4 votes
James P. Higgins had 11 votes
blanks 13

For Associate Commissioners
— Mortimer had 1 vote
blanks 17

For District Attorney
Thomas H. Sullivan had 15 votes
blanks 13

For Registry of Probate and Insolvency
William C. Foley had 11 votes
blanks 17

For State Committee
John F. Meaney had 1 vote
blanks 17

For Delegate to State Convention
Seth H. Howes had 11 votes
blanks 7

For Town Committee (Six Members)
Seth H. Howes had 8 votes
Daniel F. Harrington had 6 votes
John E. Welch had 8 votes
Charles E. Bagley had 6 votes
Andrew Sullivan had 8 votes

The Progressive Count was as follows
Candidates
For Governor
Charles Sumner Bird had 5 votes

For Lieutenant Governor
Daniel Cosgrove had 5 votes

For Secretary
Russell A. Wood had 4 votes
blanks 1

For Treasurer
Warren R. Keith had 4 votes
blanks 1

For Auditor
Octave A. La Riviere had 4 votes
blanks 1

For Attorney-General
H. Huestis Newton had 4 votes
blanks 1

For Councillor
Edmund Mortimer had 4 votes
blanks 1

For Senator
Henry L. Chase had 4 votes
blanks 1

For Representative in General Court
Cleveland Morse had 5 votes
Raymond H. Overson had 4 votes
blanks 1

For County Commissioner
Jonas Bemis had 5 votes

For Associate Commissioners
Albert H. Berry had 4 votes
blanks 1

For District Attorney
Michael J. Flaherty had 5 votes

For Register of Probate and Insolvency
Edwin G. Norman had 5 votes

For State Committee
William R. Clark had 5 votes

For Delegates to State Convention (Three Members)
Raymond H. Overson had 5 votes
Linwood L. Workman had 5 votes
Herbert C. Sleeper had 5 votes

For Town Committee
Raymond H. Overson had 4 votes
Linwood L. Workman had 4 votes
Herbert C. Sleeper had 4 votes

The Ballots used, were sealed up, the tally sheets signed, and the Primary Election dissolved.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Organization of the Republican Town Committee of Southborough for 1914

Chairman R. Albro Newton
Secretary Augustus E. Wright
Treasurer Samuel F. Draper
Other Members { Charles F. Choate Jr
Francis D. Newton

signed R Albro Newton
Feb. 24, 1914.

A true copy
Attest: Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Election Officers Nov. 4, 1913

Southborough Oct. 17, 13

J. Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day, the following named persons were appointed election officers to serve at the Election to be held Tuesday Nov. 4, 1913.

Chas E. Bagley
H. M. Rogers
A. L. Newton
E. F. Collins
A. R. Sullivan
A. E. Wright
W. J. Harrington
H. A. Mc Master

Yours very truly
Selectmen of Southborough
by Chas. H. Newton
Clerk

Warrant for November Election 1913

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough, in said County

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House, in said Southborough, on

Tuesday, Nov. 4, 1913

at seven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to bring in their votes to the Selectmen for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Councillor, Senator, Two Representatives in General Court, County Commissioner, Two Associate Commissioners, District Attorney and Register of Probate and Insolvency, and to vote by Yes or No on the following

questions:

First, Amendment to the Constitution making women eligible to appointment as Notaries Public. Chapter 28, Resolves of 1913.

Second, Amendment to the Constitution Authorizing the referendum, Chapter 119, Resolves of 1913.

Third, Acceptance of Chapter 807, Acts of 1913, entitled "An Act to provide for compensating certain public employees for injuries sustained in the course of their employment."

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Store and Post Office in Southboro Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville, and on the Town House in said Southborough, eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Francis D. Newton
Paul S. Lincoln
John T. Burnett
} Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Nov. 4 1913

I have served this warrant as herein directed. by posting up attested copies thereof at the Store and Post Office in Southboro Center, at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville, and at the Town House in said Southborough, eight

days at least before the time set for said meeting and have caused the same to be Published in the Southboro Enterprise.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
and Officers return thereon,
Attest: Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

November Election 1913.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough met at the time and place and for the purpose within mentioned.

The meeting was called to order by the Town-Clerk who read the Warrant and the officers return.

The ballot clerks and tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of, Charles E. Bagley, Henry M. Rogers, Adoniram J. Newton, Edward F. Collins Andrew R. Sullivan, Augustus E. Wright, William J. Harrington, and Harry A. McMaster were qualified.

A package supposed to contain 550 Official Ballots was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Chairman of the Selectmen, acting as Presiding Election Officer and his receipt taken therefor.

The ballot box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked Constable Hildreth retaining the keyes, the register showed 0000

Ballot Clerks were stationed at the Ballot Table check list, tellers were stationed at the check list at the ballot box, Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the voting place and the Polls were declared open for voting at 7 o'clock A. M.

At 2-35 o'clock all being agreed the Ballot Box was publicly opened and one hundred ballots taken therefrom, the ballot box was again locked, voting resumed, and counting of the ballots taken out was begun.

At 3-40 o'clock voted to close polls at 4-00 o'clock

At 3-50 o'clock ballot box publicly opened and one hundred more ballots taken out, the ballot box was then locked.

Polls were closed at 4 o'clock P. M.

The register on the Ballot Box showed 0269

At the Ballot Table 269 names of voters were checked as having been given ballots, and 269 names were checked at Ballot Box list as having deposited their ballots.

The Ballot box was again opened and Chairman Francis D. Newton counting aloud took out 69 more ballots making a total of 269.

The counting of the ballots cast was carried on as is required by law, and when completed, public declaration was made as follows:

For Governor

Charles S. Bird - of Walpole	had seventy-eight votes
Alfred H. Evans - of Northampton	had no votes
Eugene N. Foss - of Boston	had thirteen votes
Augustus P. Gardner - of Hamilton	had seventy-five votes
Arthur E. Reimer - of Boston	had no votes
David L. Walsh - of Fitchburg	had one hundred votes
George H. Wrenn - of Springfield	had one vote
	2 blanks

For Lieutenant Governor

Edward P. Barry - of Boston	had eighty-eight votes
Daniel Cosgrove - of Lowell	had seventy-eight votes
August H. Goetting - of Springfield	had eighty-nine votes
Albert J. Orem - of Sharon	had two votes
Peter O'Rourke - of Medford	had no votes
George E. Roemer, Jr. - of Boston	had no votes
	12 blanks

For Secretary

Frank J. Donahue - of Boston	had ninety-six votes
William S. Kinney - of Boston	had eighty-seven votes
John A. Nicholls - of Boston	had two votes
Fred E. Oelcher - of Peabody	had no votes
Ella M. Roberts - of Springfield	had no votes
Russell A. Wood - of Cambridge	had sixty-two votes
	22 blanks

For Treasurer

Charles L. Burrill - of Boston	had ninety-seven votes
Charles E. Fenner - of Worcester	had no votes
Thomas R. Frissell - of Hinsdale	had two votes
Warren R. Keith - of Boston	had sixty-two votes

Frederick W. Mansfield - of Boston — had eighty-eight votes
Dennis McGoff - of New Bedford — had no votes
20 blanks

For Auditor

Herbert S. Brown - of Greenfield — had one vote
David Craig - of Milford — had no votes
Octave A. La Riviere - of Springfield — had sixty-one votes
Samuel P. Levenberg - of Boston — had one vote
Frank H. Pope - of Leominster — had one hundred five votes
John E. Whitty - of Tisbury — had seventy-eight votes
28 blanks

For Attorney-General

Thomas J. Boynton - of Everett — had eighty-nine votes
Freeman J. Cronmett - of Chelsea — had one vote
John McCarty - of Abington — had two votes
H. Huestis Newton - of Everett — had sixty-two votes
Ingvar Paulsen - of Boston — had no votes
James M. Swift - of Fall River — had ninety-two votes
28 blanks

For Councillor — seventh District

Daniel E. Denny - of Worcester — had one hundred ten votes
Edmund Mortimer - of Grafton — had one hundred sixteen votes
46 blanks

For Senator — Fourth Worcester District

William A. L. Bazeley - of Uxbridge — had eighty nine votes
Henry L. Chase - of Westborough — had sixty six votes
Willard J. Humes - of Grafton — had eighty-seven votes
29 blanks

For Representatives in General Court

Eben Salmon Cobb - of Clinton — had sixty-two votes
George F. Dow - of Bolton — had eighty-three votes
Walter D. MacCarthy - of Westborough — had eighty-two votes
George McLeod - of Clinton — had forty-five votes
Cleveland Morse - of Clinton — had fifty-six votes
Raymond H. Aveson - of Southborough — had eighty-seven votes
123 blanks

For County Commissioner Worcester County

Jonas Bemis - of Charlton — had sixty-four votes
George W. Cook - of [illegible] — had ninety-one votes
James P. Higgins - of Worcester — had eighty-five votes
29 blanks

For Associate Commissioners Worcester County

Albert H. Barron - of Gardner — had one hundred twenty-three votes
Thomas C. Sheldon - of Fitchburg — had one hundred forty-one votes
John E. Welch — had one vote
298 blanks

For District Attorney - Middle District

Michael J. Flaherty - of Northbridge — had forty-seven votes
James A. Stiles - of Gardner — had ninety-four votes
Thomas H. Sullivan - of Millbury — had eighty-two votes
Charles W. Wood - of Worcester — had eleven votes
35 blanks

For Register of Probate and Insolvency
Worcester County

Harry H. Atwood - of Worcester — had ninety-six votes
William C. Foley - of Worcester — had eighty votes
Edwin G. Norman - Worcester — had sixty votes
38 blanks

On the proposed amendment to the constitution, making women eligible to appointment as notaries public, be approved and ratified?

Yes — Seventy-seven
No — One hundred and one
91 blanks

Shall the proposed amendment to the constitution, authorizing the referendum, be approved and ratified?

Yes. — Ninety-nine
No. — Fifty-nine
111 blanks

"Shall chapter 807 of the acts of nineteen hundred and thirteen, being an act to provide for compensating laborers, workmen and mechanics for injuries sustained in public employment, and to exempt from legal liability counties and municipal corporations which pay such compensation, be accepted by the inhabitants of this County?"

Yes One hundred and sixteen
No Forty-one
112 blanks

The meeting was voted dissolved. The returns were filled out on the blanks furnished by the Secretary of the Commonwealth and transmitted to him by mail at once.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Statement of Votes for Representatives to General Court, South Worcester Dist.

Names of Candidates	Residence	Berlin	Bolton	Boylston	Clinton	Northboro	Southboro	Westboro	West Boylston	Total
Eben Salmon Cobb	Clinton	7	21	12	1096	46	62	170	20	1434
George E. Dow	Bolton	107	99	81	628	120	83	228	95	1441
Walter W. MacCarthy	Westborough	5	9	8	912	53	82	195	19	1283
George McLeod	Clinton	83	63	65	743	88	45	190	79	1356
Cleveland Morse	Clinton	51	44	28	314	122	56	251	37	903
Raymond H. Overon	Southborough	35	16	19	172	108	87	227	30	694
Scattering						2				
Blanks		38	44	39	579	123	123	245	56	1247
		326	296	252	4444	662	538	1506	336	8360

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the South Representative District of Worcester County, certify that the above is a true statement of the returns of votes cast on the Fourth day of November, 1913, for two Representatives to the General Court, made to us by the Selectmen of the Towns in said District.

Frank H. Grossman Town Clerk of Berlin.
Frank A. Powers Town Clerk of Bolton.
George L. Wright Town Clerk of Boylston
James H. Carr Town Clerk of Clinton
Francis M. Harrington Town Clerk of Northboro
Charles H. Newton Town Clerk of Southboro
Joseph S. Gates Town Clerk of Westboro
William J. Holmes Town Clerk of West-Boylston

Clinton Mass. Nov. 14, 1913.

A true copy Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk
of
Southborough

Southborough Feb. 21, '14

I hereby certify that all used ballots that have been previously deposited in the Town Clerks office, have this day been destroyed.

Charles H. Hamilton
Town Clerk

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Warrant for Special Town Meeting Feb. 7, 1914.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough, on

Saturday, Feb. 7, 1914

at 7.30 o'clock, P.M., then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To see if the Town will petition the director of the Bureau of Statistics to cause such an audit to be made of the Town's accounts as will be necessary to install an accounting system in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 595 of the Acts of 1910, as amended by Chapter 706 of the Acts of 1913, or do or act thereon.

Article 3. To see if the Town will accept and adopt the Set of By-Laws recommended by the Special Committee, or pass any vote respecting By-Laws.

Article 4. To see if the Town will accept the provisions of the first four sections of Chapter 101 of the Revised Laws.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Store and Post Office in

Southboro Center, at the Post Office in Fayville at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville, and on the Town House in said Southborough, eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Francis D. Newton
John T. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
} Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Feb. 7, 1914

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting up attested copies at the store and Post Office in Southboro Center at the Post Office in Fayville, at the Post Office in Cordaville, at the Post Office in Southville, on the Town House in said Southborough, eight days at least before the time set for said meeting, and have caused the same to be published in the Southborough Enterprise

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
and Officer return, Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting

February 7, 1914

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough met in the Town Hall at the appointed time, and transacted the following business. The Town Clerk read the Warrant, and the Constables return thereon, and under,

Art. 1 Chose Seth H. Hower by ballot for Moderator.

Art. 2 Voted: that the Selectmen be authorized & directed to petition the director of the Bureau of Statistics to cause such an audit to be made of the Town's accounts as will be necessary to install an accounting system in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 598 of the Acts of 1910, as amended by Chapter 706 of the Acts of 1913.

Art. 3 Voted, to accept and adopt the set of By-Laws recommended by the Special Committee, as amended by the Town in this Meeting.

Art. 4 Voted, to accept the provisions of the first four sections of Chapter 101 of the Revised Laws.

Voted to dissolve the meeting

Charles H. Newton,
Town Clerk.

Detailed Statement of votes passed under Article 3, of Special Town Meeting February 7. 1914.

Voted: that the Clerk read the proposed - by-laws aloud article by article.

Article - I - Town Meetings. Voted, to accept.
Article - 2 - Duties of Town Officers, Voted to change the last two words of Sec. 1 from February 1 to January 15
Voted to accept Article II as amended.
Article - III - Financial, Voted to accept.
Article - IV - Selectmen. In Section 4, sixth line, voted; to change February fifteenth to February twentieth.
Voted to accept Article IV as amended.
Article - V - Voted to accept.
Article - VI - Voted to accept.
Article - VIII - Town Accountant. Voted to change to Art. VII.
Article - VII - Town Treasurer. Voted to change treasurer to accountant and Advisory Board to advisory committee, and to change the numbers of sections 1, 2, & 3. to 3. 4. & 5 respectively, and have them follow Sec. 1 & 2 of Town Accountant Article.
Voted to strike out paragraph 4 of section 3 of Art. 7. and change paragraph 5 to 4.
Voted to accept articles VIII & VII as one article, to be numbered VII.
Article - IX - voted to change to Article VIII. From the middle of the third line to the beginning of the thirteenth line, voted to change the wording to read as follows.
(Candidates for this committee are to be nominated at the annual caucus in the same manner as other Town Officers. At the Annual Town Meeting of 1914 they shall be elected by ballot, two members of the said Committee for a term of three (3) years, two members for a term of two (2) years, and two

members for a term of one (1) year, the terms of said members to expire on March in the years 1917, 1916, and 1915 respectively. Annually thereafter there shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in March, two members of the said Committee to serve for a term of three (3) years.

Article-X- Highway Surveyor. Voted to accept and change to Article IX.

Article-XI- Care of Burial Grounds and Lots. Voted to accept and change to Article X.

Article-XII- Police Regulations. In section 2 voted to strike out the words, "Provided that this by-law or regulation shall not affect the rights of any person to use the land within the limits of such way adjoining his own premises". Voted to accept Art. XII as amended and change the number from XII to XI.

Article-XIII- Repeal. Voted to accept and change to Article XII.

Voted to accept and adopt as amended

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

By-Laws of the Town of Southborough.

Article I — Town Meetings

Section 1. — Notice of every town meeting shall be given by posting attested copies of the Warrant for the meeting at the Town Hall, Depot, Post Offices, and three (3) other public and conspicuous places in the Town, seven (7) days at least before the day appointed for said meeting, and publication in a newspaper, if any be published in the town.

Section 2. — Notice of every adjourned town meeting shall be posted by the Town Clerk in five (5) conspicuous public places in the town as soon as practicable after the adjournment. Said notices shall state briefly the business to be acted on at such meeting, and shall include notice of any proposed reconsideration. Notice of a Special Meeting, the Warrant for which calls for expenditure of money, shall be sent by post card to all tax payers.

Section 3. — Whenever the Warrant for any town meeting contains an article to appropriate or expend money, create a debt, or dispose of any Town property, the Selectmen shall, six (6) days at least before the day named in said warrant for holding said town meeting, send a copy of the Warrant containing such article to the Advisory Committee, who shall consider the same and report thereon with their recommendations to the town meeting.

Section 4. — At the time appointed the Town Clerk shall call the meeting to order, read the Warrant, and preside until a Moderator is chosen.

Section 5. — It shall be the duty of the Moderator to preserve order in the town meeting in all its proceedings, and this without question, debate, or delay in all cases in which a breach of order or departure from the rules is manifest.

Section 6.- The Moderator, while occupying the chair shall not participate in any discussion before the meeting.

Section 7.- When called to order by the Moderator, the person speaking shall sit down, and remain seated until the point of order is decided, and, if the point of order be decided not well taken, shall immediately be given the floor.

Section 8.- Articles in the warrant shall be acted upon in their order unless otherwise ordered by a vote of the meeting.

Section 9.- No motion to dissolve a town meeting shall be in order until every article in the warrant therefor has been duly considered and acted upon.

Section 10.- The annual town meeting for the election of town officers shall be held on the first Monday of March in each year.

Article II.- Duties of Town Officers.

Section 1.- The reports of all boards, committees, or officers, which are to be published in the printed annual report of the Town, shall be delivered to the Selectmen as soon after the first day of January as possible, but not later than January fifteenth.

Section 2.- The Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, and the Collector of Taxes, shall cause to be posted in some conspicuous place at the Town Hall a notice of the hours during which their respective offices will be open.

Article III.- Financial

Section 1.- The fiscal year shall begin with the first day of January in each year, and shall end with the last day of December, and all appropriations of money shall be made for the then current year.

Section 2.— No money shall be paid from the Treasury except for State and County taxes, for notes and interest thereon, and for costs in criminal cases, without a warrant or order therefor signed by a majority of the Selectmen.

Section 3.— No warrant shall be drawn upon the Treasurer and no payment shall be made by him or by any other disbursing officer of the Town (except as hereinafter provided) unless there is sufficient appropriation to pay the same, except for sums by law payable to the Commonwealth, or County, for final judgments of courts, bonds, notes, and script of the Town, and interest thereon, and for other payments required by law.

Section 4.— The Treasurer shall add all receipts of money during the financial year to the several appropriations to which they would appear to belong, and the amounts so added may be expended by the Selectmen or other disbursing officers having authority to draw orders upon said appropriations, if they shall deem it necessary.

Section 5.— Whenever the liabilities incurred against any appropriation shall equal the amount thereof, and the receipts belonging thereto, no further liability against such appropriation shall be incurred until the Town makes provision for the payment of the same at a duly called meeting.

Section 6.— Whenever the account of an appropriation made for any purpose, other than for a special purpose for which the work has not been completed, shows at the end of the fiscal year a balance unexpended, such balance shall revert to the Treasury as unappropriated funds.

Section 7.— Funds given to the Town, in trust or otherwise, for specific purposes shall not be mingled with other funds of the Town, but shall be kept and invested separately and used only in accordance with the terms of the gift.

By-Laws

Article IV. – Selectmen

Section 1. – The Selectmen may appear either personally or by counsel before any committee of the Legislature, any State or County official, any board or commission, to protect the interests of the Town, but are not authorized by this by-law to commit the Town to any course of action.

Section 2. – The Selectmen shall cause the appearance and answer of the Town to be entered and made in all suits brought against the Town at law or in equity, and the interests of the Town to be defended therein. They shall consider all claims made against the Town for damages, or breach of contract, and may, with the advice of counsel, settle the same, provided that in no case shall a settlement be so made by a payment of more than five hundred dollars without authority from the Town.

Section 3. – All conveyances under seal which may hereafter be executed by the Town, pursuant to a vote of the Town or otherwise, shall be sealed with the Town seal and subscribed by a majority of the Board of Selectmen for the time being, unless otherwise directed by the Town.

Section 4. – The Selectmen shall, in their annual report, unless such information is contained in other reports to be published in the Annual Town Report, state in detail what action they have taken in the year preceding. They shall have the printed annual reports of the Town ready for distribution not later than February twentieth of each year, and shall have a copy thereof mailed to every registered voter and tax payer in the town.

By-Laws

Article V. — Town Clerk.

Section 1. — It shall be the duty of the Town Clerk to see that every conveyance to the Town of any interest in land is properly recorded in the Registry of Deeds.

Section 2. — The Town Clerk shall furnish all boards, committees, and officers with copies of all votes affecting them or their duties.

Section 3. — Whenever any report of any board or committee is presented to the Town, and its recommendations are adopted, the Clerk shall cause to be entered upon the regular record of the meeting such portions of the report only, if any, as may be necessary for the understanding of the action taken by the Town, and he shall cause the report to be entered in full in a book provided for that purpose which shall be called the Book of Reports. But Reports in print need not be so entered but shall be filed in the Clerk's office. The Book of Reports and printed reports filed shall be duly indexed. Reports shall be numbered for each municipal year in the order of their presentation, and a marginal reference shall be made to the date of the meting at which the report was presented. And the regular record of the meeting shall also make reference to the number of the report as entered in the Book of Reports or file.

Section 4. — The Town Clerk shall, as soon as practicable after any election has been held by the Town, or any appointment of committees or other officials has been made by the Town or by the Moderator, in addition to the notices he is directed to give to officers who are required to take an oath of office, also issue a written or printed notice to all persons who have been elected to any other office or chosen to serve on any committee, stating the office to which such person has been elected, or the duties which such committee was chosen to perform.

By-Laws

Article V.—

Section 5.- The Town Clerk shall furnish the Selectmen for publication in the annual printed report of the Town a copy of his record of all Town meetings that have been held during the preceding year.

Article VI.— Assessors.

Section 1.— Every third valuation of estates made by the Assessors or an abstract thereof after the year 1912 shall, with a list of poll-tax payers, be printed and mailed to all tax payers in the Town.

Article VII Town Accountant.

Section 1.— The Selectmen shall appoint a competent Accountant who shall perform all the duties and possess all the powers prescribed in Chapter 624 of the Acts of 1910, as amended by Chapter 207 of the Acts of 1911, or any amendments thereto.

Section 2.- The Town Accountant shall be sworn to the faithful performance of his duties, shall hold no other town office involving the receipt or disbursement of money, shall receive such salary as the Town shall vote, and shall hold office for three (3) years and until his successor has been appointed and has qualified.

Section 3.— The Town Accountant shall, immediately after the first day of each month, make to the Selectmen a detailed report of the amounts of the several appropriations, and all drafts made on account of each appropriation, and of all receipts, during the preceding month, and a summarized report of the same since the beginning of the fiscal year, and of the unexpended balances of the several appropriations, and

shall send a copy of his summarized statement of January 1 to the Secretary of the Advisory Committee not later than January fifteenth. He shall also prepare such other financial statements as may from time to time be required by the Selectmen.

Section 4.— The Town Accountant shall in his annual report give a detailed statement of all receipts and expenditures of the Town for the last fiscal year, giving the amount of each specific appropriation, and the amount of the expenditures therefrom; the receipts from each source of income; the change, if any, in the town debt, and a list of all debts incurred and not paid up to and including December 31st of each year, showing to whom due, for what due, and the amounts. Said statements shall be arranged, as far as practicable, to conform to the schedules of the Division of Municipal Statistics of the Bureau of Statistics of the Commonwealth.

Section 5.— The report shall also specifically state the objects for which the debt of the Town may have been increased during the preceding year, and the votes under which such increase was made; shall give a classified statement of the indebtedness of the Town and the objects for which it was incurred: and shall include:

1st. A list of all notes issued during the year and the purpose for which the money was borrowed, giving the date, amount, term, rate of interest, time of maturity, the premium, if any, received therefrom, and the names of the parties of whom the funds were borrowed.

2nd. A list of all notes paid during the year, and a list of all outstanding notes, with the dates on which they will mature.

Article VII. Section 5. Town Accountant- (Concluded)

3rd. A statement of the amount of money received by the Town from other sources than taxation during the preceding year.

4th. A list of all insurance policies held by the Town, which list shall include a statement of the property covered, the names of the companies, and the amount of each policy.

Article VIII. — Advisory Committee.

Section 1.— There shall be an advisory Committee consisting of nine citizens of the Town, other than Town officers elected by ballot. Candidates for this Committee are to be nominated at the annual caucus in the same manner as other Town Officers. At the Annual Town Meeting of 1914 they shall be elected by ballot, two members of the said Committee for a term of three (3) years, two members for a term of two (2) years, and two members for a term of one (1) year, the terms of said members to expire on March in the years 1917, 1916, and 1915 respectively. Annually thereafter there shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Town Meeting in March, two members of the said Committee to serve for a term of three (3) years. Any member of the said Committee who shall be elected to any other town office shall forthwith upon his qualification in such office, and any member who shall remove from the Town shall upon such removal, cease to be a member of said Committee. Said Committee shall choose from its number a chairman and a secretary and have power to fill vacancies in its membership.

Section 2.— It shall be the duty of this Committee to consider all matters

involving expenditures of money, creation of debt or disposition of Town property included within the articles of any warrant for a Town Meeting hereafter issued, and it shall be the duty of the Selectmen after drawing a town warrant containing any such articles to transmit immediately a copy of the same to the Secretary of the Advisory Committee, and the Committee shall, after due consideration of the subject matter in said articles, report thereon, in print or otherwise, such information and recommendations as it shall deem best. All recommendations of the Committee made to the Town shall be recommendations of a majority of the entire Committee, but this shall not be construed to prevent recommendations by a minority.

The Advisory Committee shall have authority at any time to investigate the books, accounts, and management of any Department of the Town, and the books and accounts of all Departments and officers of the Town shall be open to the inspection of the Committee and of any persons employed by it. It may appoint Sub-Committees and delegate to them such of its powers as it deems expedient.

Section 3.— The various Town officers, boards, and committees charged with the expenditure of the Town's money are each directed annually to prepare detailed estimates of the amounts necessary to carry on the Town's business intrusted to them for the ensuing year, with explanatory statements as to any changes from the amount appropriated for the same purpose in the preceding year. They shall also prepare estimates of any income which may be received by the Town during the ensuing year in connection with the Town's business or property in their care. The Selectmen shall include in their estimates the salaries

of all officers elected directly by the Town and all other items not otherwise provided for, and the salaries of all other persons shall be included in the estimates of the officers, boards, or committees appointing them. The Treasurer shall include in his estimates the amounts required for the payment of interest on the Town debt, and for the payment of such portions of the Town debt as may become due during the succeeding year. Said estimates and explanations shall be filed with the Secretary of the Advisory Committee on or before the fifteenth day of January, and he shall forthwith compile the same in tabulated form and add thereto two columns, one giving the amounts appropriated and the other the amounts expended in the preceding year, and shall furnish a copy to each member of the Advisory Committee. Said Committee shall at once consider the estimates and add another column giving the amounts which in their opinion should be appropriated for the ensuing year, and may add thereto such explanations and suggestions in relation to the proposed appropriations as they deem expedient and report the same to the Selectmen. The report shall be printed and distributed with the Town Report prior to the Annual Town Meeting.

Section 4.— Any board, standing Committee, or officer of the Town, or any person or persons intending to ask an appropriation at any meeting of the Town, other than the regular annual appropriations, shall file a written notice in the office of the Selectmen of such intention, at least fourteen (14) days before such meeting.

stating the object and sum of the appropriation intended to be asked. The Selectmen shall thereupon record such notice and inform the Advisory Committee thereof. It shall thereupon be the duty of the Advisory Committee to examine into the subject, and be prepared to inform the Town thereon. Provided that an appropriation may be asked, without such notice, at any meeting of the Town, but in the absence of such previous notice, the subject shall not be acted upon except at an adjournment of said meeting, or at another meeting, not less than (1) week later in either case: and during said interim the Advisory Committee shall consider said proposed appropriation, and make recommendation in relation thereto at such adjourned or other meeting.

Article IX. — Highway Surveyor.

Section 1.— The Highway Surveyor shall keep an accurate account of all money expended and all work done upon the public ways of the Town, and a daily record of the number of men and teams employed, and the extent and nature of the work done, and the amount expended on each street or way, and also the time spent in doing such work.

Section 2.— The Highway Surveyor shall keep a pay-roll of the employees of the Street Department, and of the owners of teams employed thereon, and a detailed account of all parties furnishing materials therefor; the time for which payment is to be made; the rate of wages; and the amount and cost of materials furnished.

Section 3.— The Highway Surveyor shall furnish an annual report in detail of the work performed in the Street Department, and of his recommendations for the ensuing year, to be printed in the Annual Town Report.

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Article X.- Care of Burial Grounds and Lots.

Section 1.- The Town will accept and forever hold in trust any money or securities which may hereafter be deposited with the Town Treasurer for the perpetual preservation care, improvement, or embellishment of any public burial place, or any lots or graves therein, agreeable to the provisions of the Statutes of the Commonwealth.

Section 2.- The Town Treasurer is authorized to enter into agreement in behalf of the Town with the holders of burial rights in any lot in the cemeteries of the Town to keep forever such lot, and the structures and grass thereon, in good and neat condition, so far as the same can be done by an expenditure not exceeding four per cent. (4%) per annum of any sum of money, or equal to the income from any securities, which such holder may have deposited with the Town Treasurer for said purpose.

Section 3.- Money and securities received under the provisions of this Article shall not be mingled with other money or securities of the Town, but shall be kept and invested separately as a Cemetery Fund, and except when otherwise specifically provided in the terms of the gift the income only shall be used.

Article XI Police Regulations.

Section 1.- No person shall conduct himself in an indecent and disorderly manner, nor use profane, indecent, obscene or insulting language in any public way or place, or near any dwelling house; nor commit any wanton or wilful act on or about the premises

of any person, with intent to annoy or disturb any inhabitant.

Section 2. — No owner or person having charge of any horse, cow, swine, sheep, goat, or other grazing animal, shall permit the same to pasture in any street or way within the Town, either with or without a keeper, under a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than five dollars for each offence, and it shall be the special duty of Field Drivers of the Town to enforce this by-law.

Section 3. — No person shall engage in buying or collecting junk or old metal or second-hand articles from place to place within the Town unless he is duly licensed therefor by the Board of Selectmen.

Article XII — Repeal.

Section 1. — These by-laws and the repeal of all by-laws heretofore in force shall not affect any act done, any right accrued, any penalty or liability incurred, or any suit, prosecution, or proceeding pending at the time they take effect.

Section 2. — All by-laws heretofore in force are hereby repealed and these by-laws shall become effective when the latter are approved and published as required by statute.

Accepted and adopted February 7, 1914.
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk of Southborough

Boston, Feby. 17 - 1914.
The foregoing by-laws
are hereby approved
Thomas J. Boynton
Attorney General.

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Feb. 20, 14

To Chas. H. Newton, Town Clerk

Dear Sir:- At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day, the following persons were appointed Tellers to serve at the Annual Town Meeting Monday Mar. 2, 1914

Chas. E. Bagley	J. W. Rogers
Wm. J. Harrington	J. A. McMaster
Wm. F. O'Neil	F. F. Draper
A. F. Newton	W. H. Pritchard

Please notify them of their appointment.

Yours very truly
Chas. H. Newton Clerk of
Selectmen.

The above named tellers were duly notified, by mail, of their appointment.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk.

February 25 1914

Charles E. Bagley declined to serve, and Timothy Bagley was appointed in his place.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Warrant for March Meeting 1914

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester ss. To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough, in said County. Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough qualified to vote in town affairs; to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Monday, March 2, A.D., 1914

at 8.15 of the clock in the forenoon then and there to act on the following Articles:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary Town Officers and Committees.

The votes for Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector Auditor, Selectmen, Assessor, Overseer of the Poor, School Committee, Town House Committee, Cemetery Commissioner, Trustees of the Fay Library, Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden, Constables, and Board of Health to be on one ballot.

The polls will be open for the election of Officers, at eight-fifteen of the clock in the forenoon, and may be closed at three-thirty of the clock in the afternoon of said day.

The following offices to be chosen by ballot: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor one Selectman, for three years, one Selectman for two years, to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Paul S. Lincoln; one member of the School Committee for three years, one Overseer of the Poor for three years, Tree Warden, Highway Surveyor, Three members of the Town House Committee, one Cemetery Commissioner for three years, one member of the Board of Health for three years, Constables, Two Advisory

Committee for three years, two for two years, and two for one year, and two Trustees of the Fay Library.

Article 3. To vote by ballot, "Yes or No" on granting license for the sale of Intoxicating Liquor.

Article 4. To vote by ballot on the question; Shall the action of the Town whereby it voted to accept Section 336 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Laws, or corresponding provisions of earlier laws, thereby providing for the election of a Highway Surveyor, be revoked.

Article 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the legitimate use of the Town and make appropriations of the same.

Article 6. To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Article 7. To determine the manner of collecting the taxes for the ensuing year, and do or act thereon.

Article 8. To see if the Town will authorize its collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Article 9. To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog Money, or do or act thereon.

Article 10. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the Town and to prosecute any suits in behalf of

(Art. 10. cont.) the Town, or do or act thereon.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 12. To see what action the Town will take to suppress the illegal Sale of intoxicating Liquor, or do or act thereon.

Article 13. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars for defraying the expense of Memorial day, ——— for decorating and repair of Soldiers' graves, or do or act thereon.

Article 14. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifty dollars, to be expended by Post 44, G. A. R. in accordance with Section 15, Chapter 25, of the Revised Laws; or do or act thereon.

Article 15. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money necessary for street lighting, and pass any votes respecting lighting of streets and ways.

Article 16. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to cause electric lights to be placed on School Street, or do or act thereon.

Article 17. To see if the Town will appropriate money for transporting books from the Fay Library to any village in town, or do or act thereon.

Article 18. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General Court in all matters regarding

Taxation, and to employ counsel as may be necessary to protect the interest of the Town or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 19. To see if the Town appropriate any sum of money unexpended from any special appropriation, if any, year if needed to complete any work for which such appropriation was made.

Article 20. To see if the Town will establish the salary of the Highway Surveyor or pass any vote respecting salary of any Town Officers or do or act thereon.

Article 21. To see if the Town will appropriate any sum of money to be expended for removing Wild cherry and Wild Apple trees from the Public Streets and ways or do or act thereon.

Article 22.- To see if the Town will accept the layout of a short piece of road built by the Metropolitan Water Board, and leading Southerly from Glenmore road, and being an extension of the road now called Pine Hill Road, or do or act thereon.

Article 23.- To see if the Town will accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen upon the layout and widening of the Northerly terminus of High Street or do or act thereon.

Article 24. To see if the Town will do or act on the petition of the Marlboro & Hudson Gas Company for permission to lay and maintain pipes in the public ways for the distribution of gas, or do or act thereon.

Article 25. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the care, maintenance and repair of the Swimming Pool and the buildings belonging thereto.

Article 26. To see what action the Town will take regarding the Lockup in Cordaville, or take any vote regarding Lock-up.

Article 27. To see if the Town will authorize the School Committee to erect a fire escape on the High School Building and appropriate money for that purpose, or do or act thereon.

Article 28. To see if the Town will take any action regarding additional rooms at the Fayrill School House, or appropriating any sum of money therefor, or do or act thereon.

Article 29.- To see if the Town will provide for the free use of the public halls or night in each year hereafter to the several Fire Companies, or do or act thereon.

Article 30. To see if the Town will take any action regarding the observance of Old Home Week the ensuing year, or do or act thereon.

Article 31. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the building of a New Fire Station in the South part of the town, or do or act thereon.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to cut or open any part of the old road leading from Oak Hill road southerly to the house of Catherine Walnut as a public way, or do or act thereon.

Article 33. To see if the Town will instruct the Highway Surveyor to make any change in the sidewalk on Oak Hill road, or do or act thereon.

Article 34. To see what action the Town will take to provide for the care of the public Buildings in Dayville.

Article 35. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to have copies of the New By-Laws [illegible] and distributed and to appropriate any sum of money therefor.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the stores and Post-Office and on the Town House in Southborough Center; at the Post-Office and Public Hall in Dayville; at the Post-Office and Lock-up in Cordaville, and at the Post-Office and Fire Station in Southville, six days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this fourteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Francis W. Newton
John T. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough March 2nd 1914

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting up attested copies thereof at the Stores and Post Office and at the Town House in Southborough center, at the Post Office and Public Hall in Fayville, at the Post Office and Lockup in Cordaville, and at the Post Office and Fire Station in Southville, eight days at least before the time set for said Meeting, and by causing the same to be published in the Southborough Enterprise

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough.

Annual March Meeting 1914

In accordance with the preceeding Warrant the legal voters of the Town of Southborough met in the Town Hall at eight fifteen o'clock in the forenoon of March 2nd

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk, who read the call, Articles 1. and 2., and the constables return of the Warrant. The Meeting voting to dispense with reading Articles 3. to 35. inclusive.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of Timothy Bagley, A. J. Newton, W. J. Harrington, W. J. O'Neil, H. M. Rogers H. A. McMaster, S. D. Draper and W. H. Brithaupt, were qualified by the Town Clerk, and later assigned by the Moderator to the various tables as needed.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the Polls, and under

Article 1 Chose Seth H. Hower Moderator, by ballot.

An attested check list was delivered to the Ballot Clerks, and another to the checkers at the Ballot Box.

A package supposed to contain 500 Official Ballots, and another containing 100 Official Ballots (for school committee only) was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Moderator and his receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was opened by the Moderator and publicly shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked by Constable Hildreth who retained the Key.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 0 0

The Moderator declared the Polls open at 8-20 o'clock A. M.

Article 5 Voted, by a rising vote, forty-eight in favor none against to raise the sum of $41755.00

Art 5 cont. forty-one thousand seven hundred and fifty-five dollars, and that the same be assessed upon the estates within the Town to pay town debts and charges, and that the same be appropriated as follows:

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	Voted to appropriate for Schools and Incidentals	15000.00
	Voted to appropriate for Support of Poor	2000.00
	Voted to appropriate for Contingent Fund	5000.00
	Voted to appropriate for Highways	3500.00
	Voted to appropriate for State Aid & Soldiers Relief	200.00
	Voted to appropriate for Cemeteries	300.00
	Voted to appropriate for Street Lighting	5000.00
	Voted to appropriate for Tree Warden	1500.00
	Voted to appropriate for Firemens Services	250.00
	Voted to appropriate for Fire Department	350.00
	Voted to appropriate for Town House	300.00
	Voted to appropriate for Snow Bills	500.00
	Voted to appropriate for Salaries	2405.00
	Voted to appropriate for G.A.R. Relief	50.00
	Voted to appropriate for Memorial Day	100.00
	Voted to appropriate for Play Grounds	200.00
	Voted to appropriate for Library Maintenance and transportation	1450.00
	Voted to appropriate for Library Books	500.00
	Voted to appropriate for Liquor Sale Suppression	100.00
	Voted to appropriate for Retirement of two Notes	2000.00
	Voted to appropriate for Retirement of bonds	2000.00
	Voted to appropriate for Interest on Notes & Bonds	1500.00
	Voted to appropriate for Swimming Pool	250.00
	Voted to appropriate for Common & Town House Grounds	150.00
See Art. 21	Voted to appropriate for Tree Warden	100.00
See Art. 27	Voted to appropriate for Fire Escape High School	400.00
See Art 34	Voted to appropriate for care of Public Buildings at Dayville	150.00
See Art 35	Voted to appropriate for Printing & distribution of By-Laws	100.00
See Art. 23	Voted to appropriate for High Street-	300.00
	Total	41755.00

See Art 9 Voted to appropriate the dog money- { ½ to the Schools / ½ to the Pub Library

Article 6 The reports of the various Town Officers were acted upon and accepted.

The reports of the Committee on South Union School pages 102 to 105 inclusive were acted upon and the committee discharged.

The Auditors Report was accepted.

The Auditors Report as a whole was acted upon and voted accepted as printed.

Article 7 Voted that all Poll Taxes in Southborough, the present year be payable on demand, and that all single Poll Taxes not paid sixty days after having been put into the hands of the Collector shall be put into the hands of a Constable for collection.

All other taxes to be paid before the first Monday in December 1914 if not then paid interest at the rate of six per cent per annum shall be added until paid, if not paid by the first Monday in January 1915, the Collector is instructed to collect the same according to law, Provided that there shall be discounted from any tax bill other than poll taxes, paid before December first and after July thirty-first, an amount equal to six per cent per annum for each whole month it is so paid before December first.

Article 8 Voted, to authorize the Collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which the Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Article 9 Voted, to appropriate the Dog money ½ to the Schools, ½ to the Public Library.

Article 10 Voted, to pass the article, {See By-Laws Section 2, Article IV, Selectmen}

Article 11 Voted that the town treasurer with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1914 (to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate $25000.00) and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.
by a rising vote 71 in favor none against.

Article 12 Voted, To leave in the hands of the Selectmen.

Article 13, Voted, (Under appropriations)

Article 14. Voted. (Under appropriations)

Article 15 Voted, to pass the article (See appropriations)

Article 16 Voted, To leave in the hands of the Selectmen, with power to act after new lighting contract is awarded.

Article 17 Voted, To pass the article (See appropriations)

Article 18 Voted, To pass the article (See By-Laws / Sec. 1, Art. 11.)

Article 19 In the matter of the repair of Main St. it was, voted; to refer to the Advisory Committee, they to report at a special Town Meeting, and to reappropriate the unexpended balance from last year of $1120.41 less any unpaid bills that have been incurred.

Article 20 Voted, that the salary of the Highway Surveyor be $5.00 per day for each day he actually works till July 1st, and an annual salary of $150.00 for general supervision.
Voted, that the salary of the Town Accountant be $200.00 per year.

Article 20 Voted that the salary of the Board of Health be $25.00 per year for each member.

Article 21 Voted, to appropriate $100.00 to be expended by the Tree Warden for removing Wild Cherry and Wild Apple trees, from the Public Streets and ways.

Article 22 Voted to leave in the hands of the Selectmen with power to accept, if the town has the legal right to do so.

Article 23 Voted that the Town accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen upon the lay-out and widening of the Northerly terminus of High Street, and appropriate $300.00 therefor (Under Highway Surveyor

Article 24 Voted, to pass the article.

Article 25 Voted, to pass the article (See appropriations)

Article 26 Voted, to refer to the Advisory Committee, to report at some future Town meeting.

Article 27 Voted, to authorize the School Committee to erect a fire escape on the High School Building and appropriate $400.00 therefor.

Article 28 Voted, to refer to the Advisory Committee and the School Committee.

Article 29 Voted, that the Town grant the free use of the public halls one night in each year hereafter to the several Fire Companies, provided that the South Union School Hall shall not be used later than twelve o'clock at night, and that the actual expense be taken from the Selectmen Contingent Account.

Article 30 Voted to pass the article.

Article 31 Voted, To refer to the Advisory Committee to be reported upon at some future Town meeting.

Article 32 Voted, To refer to the Advisory Committee

Article 33 Voted, That the Highway Surveyor be instructed to rebuild the sidewalk on Oak Hill from near residence of Mr. Winslow southerly as far as the sidewalk now extends and place on inside of trees on East side of Street, money to be taken from regular Highway appropriation.

Article 34 Voted to appropriate the sum of $150.00 for the care and maintenance of the public Buildings in Dayville, and that a committee of three be appointed by the Chair to carry out the purpose of this vote

Chair appointed

Samuel D. Draper
J. H. McCloskey
Josiah True (all notified by Moderator)

Article 35 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to have 500 copies of the New By-Laws printed and distributed, and to appropriate $100.00 therefor.

At 2-15 P.M. it was voted that no further action be taken on Articles in the Warrant; that is Arts. 5 to 35 inclusive.

At 2-45 O'clock all the Election officers, Moderator and Town Clerk being agreed it was voted to take out 150 ballots from the Ballot Box and begin the canvas, A constable unlocked and again locked the Ballot Box, retaining the keys in his possession, voting continued till 3-35 when the polls were closed.

The Ballot Clerks check list, and the tellers check list were each counted aloud, and on each list were counted the names of 255 Male voters, and 1 (one) female voter.

checked as having voted. The Moderators count of ballots taken from the Ballot Box was 255 and 1 respectively. The register on the Ballot Box showed [0][2][5][6]

The ballots were counted as required by law, and public declaration made as follows:

Article 2

For Town Clerk

83/4 by Moderator Charles H. Newton had two hundred eighteen votes
Walter Hunt had one vote
36 blanks

For Town Treasurer

93/5 Thomas E. Waldron, had two hundred sixteen votes
39 blanks

For Collector

S. Man. 6 De Leiton Nichols, had two hundred thirteen votes
42 blanks

For Selectman for 3 years

Robert Albo Newton, had one hundred seventeen votes.
S. Man. 6 Raymond H. Dresser, had one hundred twenty-four votes.
14 blanks

For Selectman for 2 years

Charles L. Fairbanks, had one hundred seventeen votes
S. Man. 3 Lyman Hollensby, had one hundred thirty votes.
8 blanks

For Assessor for 3 years

S Man 4 Edward N. Collins, had two hundred ten votes
45 blanks

For Overseer of the Poor 3 years

Paul S. Lincoln, had two hundred twelve votes
48 blanks

For School Committee 3 years
S. Mar 4 Frederick A. Richtner had one hundred ninety-eight votes
58 blanks

For Town House Committee
Charles O. Misener had two hundred and five votes
Le Clinton Nichols had two hundred and nine votes
Patrick M. Salmon had two hundred and four votes
147 blanks

For Cemetery Commissioner, for 3 years
S. Mar 5 Adelbert E. Collins had one hundred eighty-three votes
72 blanks

For Constables
S. Mar. 9 Edward C. Chase had one hundred ninety-seven votes
S. Mar. 3 William Bagley had two hundred and five votes
S. Mar. 3 William Duncan had one hundred ninety-eight votes
S. Mar. 3 Lyman Hollenby had one hundred ninety-seven votes
S. Mar. 7 Le Charles C. Hildreth had two hundred and one votes
S. Mar 2 Francis D. Newton had one hundred ninety-eight votes
334 blanks

For Highway Surveyor
Scarborough J. Butler had one hundred twelve votes
S. Mar. 7 William A. Gould had one hundred thirty-six
7 blanks

For Fire Warden
Harry Barnett had one hundred ninety-eight votes
5 blanks

For Library Trustees (3 years)
Mrs. Albro W. Newton had one hundred ninety-four votes
Charles A. Choate Jr. had one hundred ninety-four votes
121 blanks

For Board of Health (3 years)
S. Mar. 3 Robert Albro Newton had one hundred ninety-five votes
5 blanks

For Advisory Committee for 3 years
George P. Gardner had two hundred and two votes
Charles J. Johnson had two hundred and one votes
107 blanks

For Advisory Committee for 2 years
Andrew R. Sullivan had one hundred and ninety six votes
Charles F. Deland had one hundred and ninety two votes
John J. Burnett had one vote
121 blanks

For Advisory Committee for 1 year
John J. Neary had one hundred eighty-eight votes
Augustus E. Wright had one hundred ninety-five votes
127 blanks

The following officers were elected by nomination from the floor.

Measurers of Wood and Bark
Paul L. Lincoln
S. Mayo Irving Smith
S. Mayo Leyman Pollensby
S. Mayo De Clinton Nichols
Marcus Jackson

Surveyors of Lumber
C. L. Parmenter
S 3/6 De Clinton Nichols

Public Weighers
Frances Wright
S 3/6 De Clinton Nichols
H. W. Young
Chas. B. Lawrence
Thomas Fitzgerald
S 1/10 Herbert Jones

Field Drivers
C. C. D. Bradley
S 3/9 Waldo A. Jay
Robert A. Newton
Leroy A. Taylor
John J. Flannery
Edward L. Wilson
Carmen Reddy.

Pound Keeper
Henry Newton

Fence Viewers

Lyman Rollenby
Raymond H. Overton

Thomas P. Lindsay
Charles R. Leland

Article 3 For License to sell intoxicating liquor.

Yes 82
No 152
blanks 20

Article 4 Revocation of provisions of law providing for the election of a Highway Surveyor.

Yes 76
No 93
blanks 85

The ballots cast, check lists and tally sheets used, were tied in packages, properly signed and sealed, as by law required, and it was voted to dissolve the meeting.

Charles H. Overton
Town Clerk

Southborough Mar. 6 1914

To Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day, the following appointments were made:

	Chas. H. Newton	Clerk of Selectmen
	Samuel F. Draper	Burial Agent
	James Stockwell	Weigher of Coal
	Augustus E. Wright	" " "
	De Clinton Nichols	" " "
S 3/c	Herbert W. Jones	" " "
	Thomas Fitzgerald	" " "
	John Sealey	" " "
S 3/4	Edward L. Nichols	" " "

William Smiddy Fred W. Dole	Special Police without pay for the protection of the waters of the Metropolitan Water & Sewerage Board in the Town of Southboro.
Marcus D. Jackson John J. Burnett	Special Police without pay.
Michael R. Maley	Special Police without pay for the protection of St Marks School property.
John Sealey	Special Police without pay for the protection of the Masonic Building property.
John J. Mooney	Fire Warden Southboro Center
Chas H. Hildreth	Fire Warden Fayville
William E. O'Neil	Fire Warden Cordaville
John J. O'Brien	Fire Warden Southville
James B. Johnson	Fire Warden West Part
Parker Whelmen	Fire Warden Flagg Dist.

Apr 4 Willard C. Simpson — Sealer of Weights and Measures

S 4/15 Silas G. Allen — Inspector of Animals, subject to approval of Bureau of Animal Industry for year ending Mar 31, 1915.
{Approved Mar. 10 1914 by Jno R. Mackey Commissioner}

William J. Harrington — Registrar of Voters for 3 years from April 1, 1914.

Mar 20 Charles E. Bagley — Town Accountant for three years.

Yours very truly
Chas H. Newton clerk of Selectmen.

Southborough Mar. 9, 1914

All of the foregoing appointees have been notified by letter, with the exception of Silas G. Allen. The Bureau of Animal Industry have been notified of Mr. Allens nomination.

Chas H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southboro Apr. 7, 1914

Personally appeared before me ~~Silas~~ Willard C. Simpson who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Special Police Officer as appointed by the Selectmen.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southboro June 26, 1914

Personally appeared before me Fannie L. Clark who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Weigher of Coal

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Warrant for Special Town Meeting May 27, 1914

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Wednesday, May 27, A.D., 1914

at 8.00 of the clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following Articles, Viz:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To see if the Town will accept as gift to the Town, by the Ladies' Charitable Society, the Clock in the Tower Town Hall, and the crockery owned by said Society, and other articles, with the provisions embodied in said gift, or do or act thereon.

Article 3. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to take, by purchase or otherwise, additional land for the Fire Station in the village of Fayville, or do or act thereon.

Article 4. To hear the report of the Committee appointed by the Town to investigate necessary repairs or changes in or on the Town House, or do or act thereon.

Article 5. To see what action the Town will take regarding repairs on Main St. or do or act thereon.

Article 6. To hear any report of the Advisory Committee and do or act thereon.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies hereof at the Town Hall, Depots, Post Offices and three other conspicuous places in said Town, seven days at least before the day appointed for said meeting and publication in a newspaper if any be published in the town.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting. Given under our hands this sixteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Francis D. Newton
Lyman Follansby
Raymond H. Dueson
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough May 27 1914

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies at the Town Hall, at the Post Offices, at the Depots and three other and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the day appointed for said meeting

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
and officers return thereon.
Attest:

Special Town Meeting, May 27, 1914.

In the absence of the town clerk, Charles L. Fairbanks was elected town clerk, pro. tem.

The meeting was called to order by the clerk, pro tem, and action was taken under the articles as follows:

Article 1. Seth H. Howes was elected as moderator.

Article 2. Voted to accept the gift of the clock, crockery and other articles from the Ladies Charitable Society, and to agree that the clock shall be kept in the lower town hall, and that all the property shall be kept and cared for as town property.

Voted to extend a vote of thanks to the Ladies Charitable Society for the gift.

Article 3. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to acquire by purchase, or by right of eminent domain, the land owned by Angelo Marini, east of the village hall in Fayville, for fire-house or other purposes; and that the price to be paid for same be determined by three disinterested parties.

Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to pay for the land from funds in the hands of the town treasurer.

Article 4 Voted to pass the article.

Article 5 Voted that the sum now unexpended, - $1,032.56 be expended under the direction of the Highway Surveyor, in repairing Main Street, and that he be recommended to follow the recommendations of the State Highway Commission as to

methods of making the repairs

Article 6. Voted to accept the report of the Advisory Committee. (Copy of report on following page)

X Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell or otherwise dispose of the lockup in Cordaville.

Voted that the meeting be dissolved.

Chas. L. Fairbanks
Clerk pro. tem.

Southboro Aug. 18, 1914

Personally appeared before me Silas G. Allen who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Special Police officer.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Report of Advisory Committee

Marlboro, Mass., May 25, 1914.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find articles to be acted upon by the advisory committee, if necessary at the town meeting.

Article 1. The advisory committee recommended that the Selectmen be given the power to take property joining the hall and appoint a committee to value the property.

Article 19. The committee recommended that the Main Street be repaired, and oiled now and again in August with the money that was left from appropriations last year, as the Supt. of Streets stated that there would be a sufficient sum of money to complete it.

Article 26. The committee recommended that the Selectmen be given the power to sell or dispose of lockup property, and that all persons hereafter be brought to Westborough lockup.

Article 28. The committee recommended that no appropriation be made for Fayville School, as it is large enough for the present. But that the Board of Health be recommended to look after the sanitary conditions of the building.

Article 31. The committee recommended that no money be appropriated for the fire station building, Southville.

Article 32. The committee recommended that nothing be appropriated for the road leading off the Oak Hill Road.

Secretary

J. J. Neary

A true copy, Attest:

Charles H. Newton

Town Clerk.

Juror List 1914

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester ss. Town of Southborough July 10, 1914.

In accordance with Chapter 176 of the Revised Laws and the amendments thereto, viz. the Selectmen of the town of Southborough in said county, have prepared the following list of names of inhabitants of said town to serve as Jurors.

Name	Occupation	Post Office	Residence Southboro
Allen Silas G.	Contractor	Southboro	Cataniguana Road
Boutilier Walter B.	Draftsman	Southville	Southville Road
Brewer Walter B.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Road
Burnett John J.	Farmer	Southboro	Main Street
Draper Allen G.	Carpenter & Builder	Fayville	Central Street
Eaton Harris W.	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Road
Fairbanks Chas. L.	Express Agt.	Southboro	Main Street
Hyde Albert F.	Janitor	Southboro	Main Street
Hyde Frank L.	Shoe Worker	Southville	Prentiss Street
Jones Chas.	Mill Operative	Cordaville	Southville Road
Leland Chas. F.	Farmer	Southboro	Main Street
Lincoln Harry R.	Farmer	Westboro R.F.D.	Turnpike Road
Outhank W. H.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Road
Sawin Harry W.	Grain Dealer	Southboro	Cataniguana Road
Sullivan Andrew R.	Mechanic	Cordaville	Highland Road
Tufts Chas. C.	Retired	Southville	Wood Street
Wright Augustus E.	Merchant	Fayville	Turnpike Road

Francis D. Newton
Raymond H. Dodson
Lyman Hollensby
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy. Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Call for Primary Election

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall in said Southborough

Tuesday, the twenty-second Day of September, 1914, at seven o'clock P.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor	for this Commonwealth
Secretary of the Commonwealth	" " "
Lieutenant-Governor	" " "
Treasurer and Receiver General	" " "
Auditor of the Commonwealth	" " "
Attorney-General	" " "
Representative in Congress	13th Congressional District
Councillor	7th Councillor District
Senator	4th Senatorial "
Two Representatives in General Court	10th Representative "
County Commissioner	Worcester County.

and for the Election of the following officers:

District Member of State Committee for each political party for the 4th Senatorial District.

Five Members of the Democratic Town Committee

Five Members of the Republican Town Committee

Five members of the Progressive Party Town Committee

Delegates to state conventions of Political Parties.

all the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot.
The polls will be open from seven to nine o'clock P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town, and by publication in the Southborough Chronotype.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this first day of September, A. D. 1914.

Francis W. Newton
Raymond H. Dodson
Lyman Pollenby
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy. Attest;
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Sept. 22, 1914

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town and by causing the same to be published in the Southboro Chronotype.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election September 22 1914.

In accordance with the preceeding warrant the voters of Southborough qualified to vote in Primaries met in the Town Hall at seven O'Clock in the evening. Chas. H. Newton read the Warrant and the officers return thereon.

The Election Officers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of Harry A. McMaster, William H. Outhank, Andrew R. Sullivan, Seth H. Howes, Edward F. Collins and Herbert L. Sleeper, were qualified by the Town Clerk. two of these men were stationed at the Ballot Table check list, two at the Ballot-Box check list. One at the Ballot Box which was publicly opened and showed to be empty, it was then locked the key being kept by Constable Hildreth. The Register on the Ballot box showed [0][0][0][0]

Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

Offices were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the polls. at 7-10 the polls were declared open. At 9-10 they were declared closed, having been kept open two hours.

The names of 41 voters were checked as having received ballots. 41 names of voters were checked as having deposited their ballots in the ballot box, The register showed [0][0][4][1]. There were 41 ballots taken from the Ballot Box by the Presiding Election Officer. 3 P. 19 D. 19 R.

The counting proceeded as by law directed. The Progressive Ballots were counted first and declaration made as follows:

Candidates:—

For Governor
Joseph Walker — had three votes

For Lieut. Governor
James P. Magenis — had three votes

For Secretary
Russell A. Wood — had three votes

For Treasurer
Daniel J. Murphy — had three votes

For Auditor
Frederick P. Glazier — had three votes

For Attorney-General
John Hildreth — had three votes

For Congressman - 13th dist.
John Fogg Twombly — had three votes

For Councillor - 7th dist.
Charles B. Perry 6 Canal St. Milbury
had one vote (blanks 2)

For Senator
_____ (blanks 3)

For Representative in General Court
Willard J. Mayberry had three votes
Stephen M. Marshall
178 High St. Clinton had one vote
(blanks 2)

For County Commissioner
Chas. M. Day had one vote (blanks 2)

For State Committee 4th Worc. Dist
William R. Clark had three votes

Delegates to State Convention (Vote for three)

Lyman Tollenby	had one vote	x
R.H. Oveson	had one vote	x
Edw F. Collins	had one vote	x
	(blanks 6)	

Town Committee (Number not specified)

Herbert Sleeper	had one vote	x
Edward Collins	had one vote	x
R.H. Oveson	had two votes	x
L. Tollenby	had one vote	x
	blanks 7	

The Democratic vote was as follows:

For Governor
David I Walsh had nineteen votes

For Lieutenant Governor
Edward P. Barry had seventeen votes
(blanks 2)

For Secretary
Frank J. Donahue had nineteen votes

For Treasurer
Frederick W. Mansfield had eighteen votes
(blanks 1)

For Auditor
Frank H. Pope had sixteen votes
(blanks 3)

For Attorney General
Thomas H. Boynton had nineteen votes

For Congressman 13th Dist.
William H. Mc Masters had no votes
John J. Mitchell had seventeen votes
(blanks 2)

For Councillor 7th Dist.
(blanks 19)

For Senator 4th Worc Dist.
James H. McCoocy had sixteen votes
(blanks 3)

For Representatives in General Court (10th Worc)
Eben S. Cobb had thirteen votes
Walter D. MacCarthy had sixteen votes
(blanks 9)

For County Commissioner
Chas M. Day Central St Winchendon
had five votes
(blanks 14)

For State Committee (4th Worcester Dist)
Jeremiah J. Comba had sixteen votes
(blanks 3)

For Delegate to State Convention (Vote for one)
S. H. Howes had two votes
James Burke had one vote
D. F. Harrington had one vote
Timothy Bagley had one vote
(blanks 14)

For Town Committee (Vote for four)
Andrew Sullivan had two votes
John F Lowney had one vote
S. H. Howes had siso votes x
John Welch had four votes x
James Burke had two votes
John Neary had two votes
Patrick O'Reilly had two votes
Daniel Harrington had four votes x
Chas E. Bagley had siso votes x
Timothy Bagley had one vote
Chas Misener had one vote
Michael R Maley had one vote
(blanks 44)

The Republican vote was as follows:

Candidates

For Governor

Samuel W. McCall — had seventeen votes

(blanks 2)

For Lieutenant Governor

Grafton D. Cushing — had twelve votes
August H. Goetting — had two votes
Elmer A. Stevens — had three votes

(blanks 2)

For Secretary

Frank L. Brier — had five votes
William A. Kinney — had no votes
Albert P. Langtry — had eleven votes

(blanks 3)

For Treasurer

Charles L. Burrill — had five votes
Frederick E. Pierce — had eleven votes

(blanks 3)

For Auditor

Alonzo B. Cook — had ten votes
Joseph Monette — had five votes

(blanks 4)

For Attorney General

Henry C. Attwill — had four votes
John A. Curtis — had one vote
James M. Halloweel — had one vote
John J. Higgins — had four votes
James A. Stiles — had seven votes

(blanks 2)

For Congressman 13th Dist

William H. Carter — had thirteen votes
Nathaniel A. Mancis — had three votes

(blanks 3)

For Councillor 7th Dist.

Daniel E. Denny — had eleven votes
Elbridge G. McIntyre — had five votes

(blanks 3)

For Senator 4th Ware Dist
William A. L. Bazeley had fourteen votes
Cornelius R. Day had one vote
(blanks 4)

For Representatives in General Court 10th Ware Dist.
Joseph S. Gates had eighteen votes
George A. Whitney had ten votes
(blanks 10)

For County Commissioner
Warren Goodale had eighteen votes
(blanks 1)

For State Committee
Paul Whitin had seventeen votes
(blanks 2)

For Delegate to State Convention (Vote for one)
Augustus E. Wright had seventeen votes x
(blanks 2)

For Town Committee (Vote for five)
Francis D. Hemenway had seventeen votes x
Robert A. Hemenway had seventeen votes x
Samuel F. Draper had seventeen votes x
Augustus E. Wright had seventeen votes x
Charles A Choate Jr. had seventeen votes x
(blanks 10)

The ballots used were sealed up, the tally sheets signed, and the Primary Election dissolved.

Charles H. Hemenway
Town Clerk

Special Police

Southboro Oct. 9, 1914

Theodore Huntington having been appointed by the Selectmen, as a Special Policeman on Marlboro Driving Park property, appeared before me this day and made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Special Police.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Special Police

Southboro Oct. 10, 1914.

Michael M°Evoy, Martin Gebhart and Michael Sheehegall having been appointed by the Selectmen, as Special Policeman without pay on the Fears property, appeared before me this day and made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of Special Policeman.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Ballots Destroyed

I hereby Certify that the Ballots cast at the Annual March Meeting in 1914 have been destroyed

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough, in said County. Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts You are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in Elections, to meet at the Town House, in said Southborough, on

Tuesday, November 3d, next

at seven of the clock in the forenoon, Then and there to bring in their votes to the Selectmen for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Congressman, Councillor, Senator, Two Representatins in General Court, and County Commissioner.

Also, to vote "Yes" or "No" on the Acceptance of Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1914, entitled, An act relative to vacations of laborers of cities and towns

To vote "Yes" or "No" on the Acceptance of Chapter 688 of the Acts of 1914, entitled an Act to make Saturday a half holiday for laborers ~~and~~ workmen and mechanics employed by or on behalf of the Commonwealth, and otherwise to regulate their employment

To vote "Yes" or "No" on the Acceptance of Chapter 790, Acts of 1914, entitled An Act to Abolish the enrollment of members of political parties and to limit the membership of Ward and Town Committee

To vote "Yes" or "No" on the Acceptance of Chapter 634, of the Acts of 1911, entitled. An Act to authorize the Counties of the Commonwealth to establish retirement systems for their employees.

The votes for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Congressman, Councillor, Senator Representatins in General Court and County Commissioners, and the questions to be answered by "Yes" or "No" I to be on one ballot

The polls will be opened at seven of the clock in the forenoon and may be closed at three of the clock in the afternoon of said day.

And you are to give notice hereof by posting up true and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town Hall, Depots, Post offices, and Three other public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publication in some newspaper published in said Town.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Selectmen at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands This sixteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one Thousand nine hundred and fourteen

Francis D Newton
Lyman Follansby
Raymond Orrson
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough November 3d 1914

I have served the within Warrant by posting attested copies hereof at the Town Hall, Depots, Post Offices and Three other public and conspicuous places within the Town, seven days at least before the time of said meeting; and have caused same to be published in the Southboro Weekly Times, a newspaper published within the Town

Francis D. Newton
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant and Officer's Return
Chas. L. Fairbanks
Acting Town Clerk

November Election, 1914

In accordance with the preceding warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough met at the time and place and for the purpose therein mentioned.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk and the Warrant and Officer's Return Thereon was by him read. The Ballot Clerks and Tellers who had been previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of:- Andrew Sullivan, Adoniram J Newton, Charles E Bagley, Heber C. Sleeper, Edward F Collins, Raymond A Follansby, Harry A Mc. Master, Henry M Rogers, William H OnThank appeared before Francis D Newton, the Presiding Election Officer and were duly qualified.

A Sealed package supposed to contain five hundred official ballots was delivered to the ballot clerks by the Town Clerk and their receipt therefor taken.

The ballot box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, was then closed, locked and the key taken in custody by Constable Charles C. Hildreth

The ballot clerks and tellers were stationed at their respective tables with their check lists, Constables stationed at the entrance and exit of the polling place, and at seven o'clock the polls were declared to be open for ballots

At thirty minutes past two o'clock in the afternoon it was voted, the Selectmen, Town Clerk and all the Election officers being present, that the ballot box be opened and one hundred and fifty ballots be taken therefrom that the counting might commence.

The Ballot box registered 251, was opened and the presiding officer counted out one hundred and fifty ballots after which the Ballot box was again closed and locked as before and the voting proceeded.

The presiding officer appointed Edward F. Collins, Charles E Bagley, Harry A Mc. Master and William H OnThank to count the ballots taken from the box and they at once commenced the canvas

At four o'clock it was voted that the polls be closed at a quarter past four o'clock.

At ten minutes past four o'clock it was voted to reconsider the preceding vote and it was voted that the polls be closed at a quarter before five o'clock.

At half past four o'clock the ballot box was again opened as by law provided and one hundred more ballots counted out to be canvassed after which the ballot box was closed, locked and the voting resumed

At ten minutes before five the presiding officer declared the polls closed.

The Ballot box registered [2|8|8]

The ballots remaining in the box were taken out singly and counted aloud and there were thirty-three ballots making a total of two hundred and eighty three ballots

The counting of the ballots was then completed according to law and public declaration of the result was announced as follows:-

November Election 1914

For Governor.

Alfred H Evans of Hadley had Three	3
Samuel W McCall of Winchester had one hundred and sixty-Three	163
Arthur E Reimer of Boston had one	1
Samuel C Roberts of Springfield had one	1
Joseph Walker of Brookline had twenty-one	21
David I Walsh of Fitchburg had ninety-one	
Blanks, - Three	3

For Lieutenant-Governor.

Edward P. Barry of Boston had eighty-Three	83
Grafton D Cushing of Boston had one hundred and sixty-eight	168
Arthur Howard of Salem had Three	3
James P Magenis of Boston had nineteen	19
Sylvester J McBride of Watertown has one	1
Patrick Mulligan of Boston had one	1
Blanks, - eight	8

For Secretary two

Percy B. Ball of North Attleborough had	1
Frank J Donahue of Boston had eighty-five	85
James W Holden of New Bedford had one	1
Albert P Langley of Springfield had one hundred and fifty-	150
William G. Merrill of Malden had Three	3
Russell A Wood of Cambridge had twenty-eight.	28
Blanks, - fourteen	14

For Treasurer

Charles L Burrill of Boston had one hundred and forty-eight	148
Joseph M. Coldwell of Milford had one	1
Frederick Fosdick of Fitchburg had Twenty-four	24
Thomas A Frissell of Hinsdale had four	4
Karl Lindstrand of Lynn had no votes	0
Frederick W Mansfield of Boston had ninety-two	92
Blanks, - fourteen	14

November Election, 1914

For Auditor

Alonzo B Cook of Boston had one hundred and forty-five	145
Daniel R Donovan of Springfield had two	2
John Drysdale of North Adams had one	1
Frederick P Glazier of Hudson had twenty-two	22
Fred E Oelcher of Peabody had one	1
Frank H Pope of Leominster had ninety-four	94
Blanks, - eighteen	18

For Attorney General

Henry C Atwill of Lynn had one hundred and fifty-eight	158
Thomas J Boynton of Everett had eighty	80
John Hildreth of Holyoke had twenty-four	24
Howard B Rand of Haverhill had two	2
John Weaver Sherman of Boston had one	1
William Taylor of Worcester had no votes	0
Blanks, - eighteen	18

For Congressman

William H Carter of Needham had one hundred and forty-three	143
John J Mitchell of Marlborough had one hundred and eight	108
John Fogg Trombly of Brookline had twenty-one	21
Blanks, - eleven	11

For Councillor

Daniel E Denny of Worcester had one hundred and sixty-five	165
Charles B Perry of Millbury had ninety	90
Blanks, - twenty-eight	28

For Senator

William A L Bazeley of Uxbridge had one hundred and seventy-eight	178
James H McCoy of Blackstone had eighty-five	85
Blanks. - twenty	20

For Representatins in General Court

Ebn S. Cobb of Clinton had seventy-five	75
Joseph S. Gates of Westborough had one hundred and fifty	150
Walter D MacCarthy of Westborough had seventy-four	74
Stephen M Marshall of Clinton had twenty-four	24
Willard I Mayberry of Westborough had twenty	20
Earl C Richards of Westborough had ten	10
George A Whitney of Clinton had one hundred and fifteen	115

Blanks, — ninety-eight — 98

For County Commissioner

Charles M Day of Winchendon, eighty-nine	89
Warren Goodale of Clinton, one hundred and fifty six	156

Blanks, — Thirty-eight — 38

Shall an act passed by the general court in the Year 1914 entitled, "An act relating to vacations of laborers employed by cities and towns," be accepted?

Yes,	ninety-nine 99
No	ninety-six 96
Blanks	eighty-eight 88

Shall an act passed by the general court in the year 1914 to make Saturday a half-holiday, without loss of pay, for laborers workmen and mechanics employed by or on behalf of the commonwealth and otherwise to regulate their employment, be accepted?

Yes.	one hundred and twenty-four 124
No.	eighty-nine 89
Blanks	seventy 70

Shall the act passed by the general court in the year 1914, providing for the abolition of party enrolment at primary elections be accepted?

Yes,	one hundred and thirty 130
No.	fifty-nine 59
Blanks	ninety-four 94

November Election, 1914

Shall an act passed by the general court in the Year 1911, entitled "An Act authorizing the counties of the commonwealth to establish retirement systems for their employees", be accepted ?,

Yes.	one hundred and eighteen	118
No.	seventy-seven	77
Blanks.	eighty-eight	88

After the announcement of the result, the Check lists, the ballots cast and the unused ballots were sealed and signed as by law required and The meeting was dissolved

Chas. L. Fairbanks
Acting Town Clerk

Warrant for Special Town Meeting

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Southboro, on

Thursday, November 5th next

at eight of the clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article I. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article II. To see if the town will vote to appropriate an additional sum of money for the use of the Highway Surveyor to pay snow bills and for repairing the highways, or pass any votes respecting the same.

X Article III. To see if the town will vote to appropriate an additional sum of money to pay for Fire Escapes in the Center School Building or pass any vote respecting the same.

X Article IV To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money to pay Angelo Mannini for land seized in Fayville for the Fire Engine House or do or act thereon.

X Article V To see if the Town will appropriate a further sum of money to pay services of Firemen or do or act thereon.

Article VI. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Highway Surveyor further regarding change in the side walk on Oak Hill road in Fayville, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article VII. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money necessary to make any change in the side walk on Oak Hill road or do or act thereon.

Article VIII. To see if the Town will appropriate sums of money to meet additional or necessary expenditures made by the Tree Warden for removing Wild Cherry Trees, and by the Selectmen for Firemen's Services and for Fire Department supplies, or pass any vote respecting the same.

And you are to give notice hereof by posting up true and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town Hall, Depots, Post-Offices, and three other public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publication in the Southboro Times, a newspaper published in said Town.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-third day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Francis W. Newton
Lyman Hollensby
Raymond Overson
} Selectmen of Southborough

Worcester ss. Southborough November 5 A.D. 1914

I have served the within Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Town Hall, Depots, at the Post Office at Southborough Center, Fayville, Cordaville, and Southville and three other public and conspicuous places in said Town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting and by publishing the same in the Southborough Weekly Times

Francis D. Newton
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
and officers return

Attest: Chas H. Newton
Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting

November 5 1914

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough met at the Town Hall at the appointed time, and transacted the following business

Art. 1 Chose John J. Burnett by ballot for Moderator

Art. 2 Voted, that $6.50 be appropriated to cover overdraft expended for the laying out of High Street
Voted, that $15.75 be appropriated to cover overdraft expended for the Main street.
Voted, that 500.00 be appropriated for the streets in general, with the understanding that $50.00 of this amount be used to fix the gutter near the house of J. E. Welch.
Voted, that $500.00 be appropriated to cover overdraft for the Highway Surveyor and for the removal of ice and snow during the balance of the year 1914.

Art. 3 Voted, that $209.22 be appropriated for the completion of the fire escapes on the center school building.

Art. 4 Voted, that a sum not exceeding $500.00 be appropriated to pay Angelo Mannini for land seized in Fayville.

Art. 5 Voted, that $700.00 be appropriated to cover overdrafts for firemen's services, and the possible expense during the balance of the year.

Art. 6 Voted, that the change in the sidewalk on Oak Hill road in Fayville, be left in the hands of the Selectmen.
See Art. 33 March Meeting 1914.

Art. 7 Voted, that $100.00 be appropriated for the change in the sidewalk on Oak Hill road in Fayville under the direction of the board of Selectmen.
(22 in favor 4 against by rising vote)

Art. 8 Voted, that $4.25 be appropriated to cover overdraft by the Tree-Warden for the removal of wild cherry trees.

Voted, that $50.00 be appropriated to cover overdraft for supplies and further expenses for the Fire Department.

Voted, that $100.00 be appropriated for further bills in connection with the Fayville Public Hall and Engine House

The meeting further Voted:-

That all sums of money appropriated at this meeting be taken from money in the hands of the Town Treasurer. $2685.72

by a rising vote 45 in favor

None against.

Voted to dissolve the meeting

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

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Petition for recount

Representative District No. 10.

We, the undersigned registered voters of the Town of Southboro, having reason to believe and believing that the records, or copies of records, made by the election officers of said Town at the annual state election held on November 3, 1914 are erroneous in that certain ballots in the matter of the election of representatives from the 10th Worcester Representative District were counted for Joseph S. Gates, certain others for Stephen M. Marshall, certain others for George A Whitney, and certain others as blank ballots, all of which said certain ballots should have been counted for Eben S. Cobb, and are also erroneous in that certain ballots which should have been counted as blanks were counted for said Gates, Marshall, Mayberry, Richards and Whitney, and further believing that a recount of said ballots will affect the election of the said Cobb, Gates and Whitney, and will result in the election of the said Cobb, do hereby respectfully petition for a re-count of the ballots cast for representative in said Town.

Name.	address.
Seth H. Howes	East Main St
Patrick M. Salmon	Lyman St
Chas. E. Bagley	School St.
Albert E. Hurd	Middle Road
Timothy Bagley	Boston Road
Thomas H. Bagley Jr.	White Bagley Rd
Thomas A. McDonald	Middle Road
L. A. Hardy	Middle Road
Daniel M. Vaughan	Cotetzuang Rd.
Samuel Clark	Parkerville Rd.

Worcester, ss. November 1914

Personally appeared before me the above named Seth H. Hower and made oath that the foregoing statement subscribed by him is true.

Chas. L. Fairbanks
Justice of the Peace.

filed 4-20 P.M. Nov. 6, 1914
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Southborough Nov 10, 1914

This certificate witnesseth that upon the Petition of Eben S. Coff for a recount of the ballots cast for Representative in District number 10, signed by at least ten legal voters of the Town of Southborough, Due notice having been given all parties interested, a recount was held this day with the following result:

No change in the votes for any of the candidates.

W. J. Harrington
Chas H. Newton
Allan H. Draper
} Registrars of Voters of Southborough

A true copy, Attest:
Chas H. Newton
Town Clerk

Clinton Mass. Nov. 11, 1914

To the Town Clerks of the Tenth Worcester Representative District of Massachusetts:

Gentlemen:

I hereby give you notice that I claim the office of Representative from the tenth Worcester Representative District, and do declare my intention of contesting the election of George A Whitney to that office or of any other person except Joseph S. Gates, and I do hereby request that you require the Town Clerks of the Towns of Berlin and Boylston to produce at your meeting on November 13, 1914, the envelopes and ballots of said towns of Berlin and Boylston, respectively, relating to the office of Representative, so that said ballots for Representative may be there and then recounted and the records and copies of records relating to said office may be amended in accordance with the result of said recount of votes.

This notice is given you in accordance with the provisions of section 331 of Chapter 835 of the Massachusetts Acts of 1913, and also of sections 322 to 325 of said Chapter.

Eben S. Cobb
By his Attorney
John H. O'Brien

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

The Town Clerks of Berlin, Bolton, Boylston, Clinton, Northboro, Southboro, Westboro and West Boylston met as required by law on November 13, 1914 at 12 O'Clock noon in Clinton to canvass the vote for Representatives in the 10th Worcester District.

The meeting organized by the election of James H. Cark Town Clerk of Clinton as Chairman.

It was voted to receive the petition of Eben S. Coff for a re-count by the Town Clerks of the 10th Worcester Representative District of the ballots cast in Berlin and Boylston on November 3, 1914 for Representatives in the 10th Worcester Representative District: and it was also voted that the said Town Clerks of Berlin and Boylston be not required to produce the ballots and envelopes as asked for in the petition but to accept the records of votes from those towns as presented by the said Town Clerks of Berlin and Boylston.

A certificate as required by Section 338 of Chapter 835 stating that Joseph S. Gates of Westboro was elected Representative but that there was no election of a second Representative as Eben S. Coff and George A. Whitney both of Clinton received the same number of votes, was signed by the eight Town Clerks and mailed to the Secretary of State.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Statement of Votes for Representatives to General Court, Tenth Worcester District

Names of Candidates	Residence	Berlin	Bolton	Boylston	Clinton	Northboro	Southboro	Westboro	West Boylston	Total
Eben S. Cobb	Clinton	11	20	11	1240	67	75	195	17	1636
Joseph S. Gates	Westborough	100	80	72	668	153	150	397	124	1744
Walter D Mac Carthy	Westborough	8	10	8	1014	39	74	199	18	1370
Stephen M. Marshall	Clinton	26	13	10	201	74	24	119	23	490
Willard J. Mayberry	Westborough	13	6	7	64	63	20	137	16	326
Earl C. Richards	Westborough	8	0	3	16	22	10	130	00	189
George A. Whitney	Clinton	103	79	68	774	132	115	270	95	1636
Blanks		29	35	33	378	94	98	169	55	891
		298	248	212	4360	634	566	1616	348	8282

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the Tenth Representative District of Worcester County, certify that the above is a true statement of the returns of votes cast on the third day of November, 1914, for two Representatives to the General Court, made to us by the Selectmen of the Towns in said District.

Frank H. Crossman — Town Clerk of — Berlin
Frank A. Powers — Town Clerk of — Bolton
George L. Wright — Town Clerk of — Boylston
James H. Carr — Town Clerk of — Clinton
Francis M. Harrington — Town Clerk of — Northboro
Charles H. Newton — Town Clerk of — Southboro
Joseph S. Gates — Town Clerk of — Westboro
William J. Holmes — Town Clerk of — West Boylston

Clinton Mass., Nov. 13 1914

A true copy, Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk
of
Southborough

Notice of Geo. A. Whitney, Representative contest.

Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk of the Town of Southboro, and
To the Town Clerks of the Tenth Worcester Representative District of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

You are hereby notified that I, George A. Whitney, of Clinton, Massachusetts, duly nominated by the Republican Party as one of its candidates for Representative to the General Court, in said Commonwealth, and voted for at the last annual state election held on November 3d, A. D. 1914, do claim that I was duly elected to such office at said election, and hereby declare that I intend to contest the election of any person other than Joseph S. Gates to said office of Representative to the General Court of the Tenth Worcester District.

George A. Whitney

Filed Nov. 23, 1914.

A true copy, Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Boundary stone reset Westborough and Southborough

Town of Southborough
Selectmens Office
Southborough, Mass. November 23, 1914

WE the undersigned hereby certify that this day we reset the Boundary stone on the Southborough and Westborough Town line, on the Southerly Side of the County Road leading from Westborough to Southborough, said road now being known in Westborough as East Main Street and in Southborough as Main Street We further certify that said bound stone was replaced in the original position by us.

Henry L. Chase { Agent for the Selectmen of the Town of Westborough
Lyman Follensby { Selectman of the Town of Southborough

A true copy, Attest;
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
House of Representatives
Committee on Elections
State House Boston

January 15th, 1915

Town Clerk of Southboro,
Southboro, Mass.

My Dear Sir:-

Under the provisions of Chapter 835 of the acts of 1913, you are hereby directed to forward to the clerk of the house of representatives the ballots of the last state election cast for representative in your district.

Yours very truly
James J. Bagsham
Clerk

A true copy, Attest;
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Jan 20, '15

I hereby certify that the package containing Check List, Tally sheets, and Ballots cast at the November state election were this day forwarded, by Adams Express prepaid, to the Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Charles H. Newton
Town clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
House of Representatives
Boston Jan. 22 1915

Mr. Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk of
Southborough Mass.

Dear Sir:- Ballots forwarded by you Jan. 20th to the Clerk of the House of Representatives have been received and are in the possession of the Sergeant at Arms

Yours very truly
James J. Bagsham
Clerk of Election Committee

A true copy, Attest;
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Republican Town Committee 1915

Republican Town Committee for 1915

Chairman - R. Alvord Newton
Secretary - Augustus E. Wright
Treasurer - Samuel F. Draper
Francis D. Newton
Charles F. Choate, Jr.

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Progressive Town Committee 1915

To the Town Clerk
of Southboro Mass. Feb. 27. 1915

Dear Sir:-
The officers and committee of the Progressive Town Committee for 1915 are as follows:-

Chairman Raymond H. Overson
Treasurer Herbert C. Sleeper
Secretary Lyman Tollensby
Edward F. Collins

Very truly yours
R. H. Overson

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
office of the
State Forester 6 Beacon St Boston
February 16 1915

Mr. Chas. H. Newton, Town Clerk,
Southboro, Mass.

Dear Sir; We hereby approve the appointment of Harry Burnett as local moth superintendent in the town of Southboro for the ensuing year.

Yours very truly, F. W. Rane
State Forester

A true copy, attest: Chas H Newton Town clerk

Election Officers Mar. 1, 1915.

Selectmen's Office

To Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk.

The following named persons have been appointed Election Officers for the Annual March meeting:—

Timothy Bagley	Harry A. W. Carter
Andrew R Sullivan	Samuel F. Draper
Howard Lincoln	Herbert Jones
William H. Outhank	Cedonian F. Newton

Yours very truly
Chas H. Newton, Clerk.

P. S.

Please notify the above, also Hildreth and Simpson as Constables.

Chas H. Newton Clerk

I hereby Certify that all Ballots cast at the Primary Election Sept 1914 and the November Election 1914 have been destroyed.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Warrant for March Meeting 1915

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough, in said County,

Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town House, in said Southborough, on

Monday, March 1, A. D., 1915

at seven of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1 - To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting.

Article 2 - To choose all necessary Town Officers and committees.

The votes for Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of the Poor, School Committee, Town House Committee, Cemetery Commissioner Trustees of the Fay Library, Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden, Constables, Board of Health, and Advisory Committee to be on one ballot.

The polls will be open at seven o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at three-thirty of the clock in the afternoon of said day.

The following officers to be chosen by ballot: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, one Selectman for three years, one member of the School Committee, for three years; one overseer of the

Poor for three years, Highway Surveyor, three members of the Town House Committee, one Cemetery Commissioner for three years, one member of the Board of Health for three years, Tree Warden, Constables, two members of the Advisory Committee for three years, two trustees of the Gay Library.

Article 3— To vote by ballot, "Yes" or "No" on granting license for the Sale of Intoxicating Liquor.

Article 4— To raise such sums of money as be necessary for the legitimate use of the Town and make appropriations of the same.

X Article 5— To vote by ballot, "Yes" or "No" on the question, shall the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 807 of the Acts of 1913 and the amendments thereto, being an act to provide for compensating laborers workmen and mechanics for injuries sustained in public employment, and to exempt from legal liability Counties and Municipal Corporations which pay such Compensation.

Article 6— To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Article 7— To determine the manner of collecting the taxes for the ensuing year, and do or act thereon.

Article 8— To see if the Town will authorize its collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed collector.

Article 9 — To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog money, or do or act thereon.

Article 10 — To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 11 — To see what action the Town will take to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquor, or do or act thereon

Article 12 - To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for street lighting, and pass any vote respecting (the ~~vois~~ same) lighting of any streets or way.

Article 13. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars for defraying the expenses of Memorial Day, and decorating and repair of Soldiers and Sailors graves, or do or act thereon.

Article 14 — To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifty dollars, to be expended by Post 44, G. A. R in accordance with Section 15 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Laws, or do or act thereon.

Article 15 — To see if the Town will appropriate any sum of money unexpended from the special appropriations for change of the side walk on Oak Hill Road, and appropriate any additional sum necessary to complete said change.

Article 16 – To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of Money for the care and maintenance of the Swimming Pool, or do or act thereon.

Article 17 – To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for Play Grounds, or do or act thereon.

X Article 18 – To see what action the Town will take regarding one or more lockups, appropriate money for the same, or act thereon.

X Article 19 – To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee to care for the Village Building in Fayville, or do or act thereon.

X Article 20 – To see if Town will take any action regarding Planting Shade Trees, and appropriate a sum of money for that purpose, in order that the town may enter the Shade Tree Planting Contest, Conducted by the Massachusetts Forestry Association, or do or act thereon.

X Article 21 – To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars for repairing the sidewalks in Southville, leading from the Railroad Station of the Boston and Albany R.R. to Southville Road, thence Westerly on Southville Road as far as sidewalk now extends, and for repairing sidewalk from Southville Post Office to Lindsey's Hall, or do or act thereon.

X Article 22 – To see if the Town will authorize the renting of the Town Hall for Barber Ball playing, or do or act thereon.

Article 23 – To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to pay the original fire bills, that have been presented by the Fire Wardens of the South part of the Town, or do or act regarding pay for firemens services.

Article 24 – To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifty dollars for the payment of the services of a Nurse, in the work of School inspection, or do or act thereon.

Article 25 – To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the repair of Gilmore Road, or do or act thereon.

Article 26 – To see if the Town will appropriate any sum of money for repair and erection of Sign Boards, on the Highways, or do or act thereon.

Article 27 – To see what action the Town will take regarding claim of John A. Flanders for damage to his property by drainage of Parkerville Road.

Article 28 – To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the establishment and maintainance of a branch of the Public Library in the South Union School Building, or do or act thereon,

Article 29 – To see if the Town will make provision for the proper drainage of the surface water near the house of John Sealey, or do or act thereon.

Article 30 – To see if the Town will take any action in regard to the side walk

on Newton Street, or do or act thereon.

X Article 31 — To see if the Town will authorize the extension of Walker Street, as layed out, and appropriate a sum of money for the same, or do or act thereon.

X Article 32 — To see if the Town will lay out, or repair the old Road leading from Oak Hill Road, Southerly to the house of Harriet E. Walkup, and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or do or act thereon.

X Article 33 — To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell the old Stone Crusher, and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a new Portable Stone Crusher, or do or act thereon.

X Article 34 — To see if the Town will vote to discontinue that part of Cross Street leading easterly to Framingham Road, or do or act thereon.

X Article 35 — To see if the Town will choose a Committee to go before the State Highway Commissioner or the County Commissioners, and ask an amount of money to rebuild Marlborough Road from the Marlborough Town line to Main Street, or do or act thereon.

X Article 36 — To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to have street lights on any of the streets or ways Viz: School Street, Cordaville Road, Middle Road, Main Street, Jericho Hill Road, or do or act thereon.

Article 37- To see if the Town will authorize the Town Accountant to close 1914 accounts showing overdrafts or balances, and to transfer unexpended balance of $35.52 of Library Dog tax and $23.84 fines collected to the Fay Library Trust income account.

And you are hereby required to serve this warrant by posting up an attested copy hereof at the Town Hall, Depots, Post Offices, and three other public and conspicuous places in the Town, seven days at least before the day appointed for said meeting and publication in a Newspaper, if any be published in the Town

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands the sixteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

Francis D. Newton
Raymond H. Overson
Lyman Hollensby
Selectmen
of
Southborough

Worcester ss. Southborough Mar. 1 A.D. 1915

I have served the within warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Town House, Depots and Post Offices in Southborough, Fayville, Cordaville and Southville and three other public and conspicuous places in the Town of Southborough.

Lyman Hollensby
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant and Officers Return, Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Annual March Meeting 1915

In accordance with the preceeding Warrant the legal voters of the Town of Southborough met in the Town Hall at Seven o'clock in the forenoon of March 1st.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk, who read the call, Articles that call for action under the election of officers, and the Constables return of the Warrant. The meeting voting to dispense with reading articles #3 to #37 inclusive.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of

Timothy Bagley, Andrew R. Sullivan
Howard Lincoln Harry A. McMaster
William H Outhank Samuel T. Draper
Herbert Jones and Adonia J. Newton.

were qualified by the Town Clerk, and later assigned by the Moderator to the various tables as needed.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the polls and under

Article 1 Chose Raymond H. Dueson Moderator -, by ballot

An attested check list was delivered to the Ballot Clerks, and another to the checkers at the Ballot Box.

A package supposed to contain 525 Official Ballots and another containing 215 Official Ballots (for School Committee only) was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Moderator and his receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot-Box was opened by a constable and publicly shown to be empty; it was then closed and locked by Constable Pollensby who retained the key.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed

0	0	0	0

The Moderator declared the polls open at 7 o'Clock A. M.

Article 4 Voted, by a rising vote, Nineteen in favor none against to raise the sum of $55818.00 Fifty-five Thousand Eight hundred and Eighteen dollars, and that the same be assessed upon the estates within the Town, to pay town debts and charges, Prov (and that the assessors deduct all anticipated revenue before the Tax rate is established.) To be appropriated as follows:

Voted to appropriate for General Government	
Selectmen	$ 600.
Advisory Committee	75.
Town Accountant	235.
Treasurer	350.
Collector	285.
Assessors	087.
Other Finance Officers	6.
Law	700.
Town Clerk	200.
Election + Registration	255.
Town House Care	850.
Voted to appropriate for protection of Life and Property	
Police	400.
Fire department + Services	1200.
Sealer Weights + Measures	75.
Tree Warden + Gypsy + B.T. Moth	3000.
(Art 20) Shade Trees	250.
Voted to appropriate for Health and Sanitation	
Board of Health	300.
(Art 24) School Nurse	50.
Inspector of Animals	200.

Voted to appropriate for Highways

	General Highway Expense (including snow bills and Highway tax)	$7900.
(Art 21)	Southville Sidewalk	250.
(Art 30)	Newton Street Sidewalk	300.
(Art 31)	Walker Street Extension	300.
(Art 26)	Repair of Sign Boards	200.
(Arts 12 & 36)	Street Lights	5000.
(Art 15)	Oak Hill Sidewalk	150.

Voted to appropriate for Charities & Benefits

Poor Department	$2500.
State Aid and Soldiers Relief	1150.

Voted to appropriate for Education and Libraries

Schools	$16,800.
Library Maintainance	1700.
(Art 28) Library Extension South Part	100.

Voted to appropriate for Recreation and Unclassified

(Art 17) Play Grounds	$200.
(Art 14) Care of Swimming Pool	100.
Common & T. H. Grounds	150.
Hayville Hall	250.
(Art 13) Memorial Day	100.
(Art 14) G. A. R. Relief	50.
Printing Town Reports	200.

Voted to appropriate for Enterprises & Cemeteries

Cemeteries	$1200.

Voted to appropriate for Interest & Retirement of Notes

Interest on Notes and Bonds	$1500.
Retirement & Bonds	2000.
Retirement & Notes	2000.

Voted to appropriate for Reserve Fund

For Transfer only	$3000.

Article 6 The reports of the various Town Officers were acted upon and accepted.
The Town Accountants Report as a Whole was acted upon and voted accepted as printed.
The Highway Surveyors report not being made to the Town Accountant in time for printing was submitted to the voters in open meeting and voted accepted.

Article 7 Voted, ? See acts of 1913, as amended in 1913, 1914.
being Chapt 688 Acts 1913
Chapt 824 Acts 1913 and
Chapt 625 Acts 1914

Article 8 Voted. To authorize the Collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Article 9 Voted. To appropriate the dog money ½ to the Schools, ½ to the Public Library.

Article 10 Voted. That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1915 (To an amount not exceeding in the aggregate $25 000.00) and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.
by rising vote 39 in favor none against.

Article 11 Voted. To leave in the hands of the Selectmen.

Article 12 Voted. That Articles 12 and 36 be taken up together

Art 12 and 36 Cont. Voted, To appropriate a sum not exceeding $5000.00 five thousand dollars for Street-Lighting, and that any additional lighting of streets be left in the hands of the Selectmen, payments to be made for same from proposed reductions in present rates.

Article 13 Voted, to appropriate the sum of One hundred dollars for defraying the expenses of Memorial Day, and decorating and repair of soldiers graves. (See appropriations)

Article 14 Voted, to appropriate the sum of fifty dollars, to be expended by Post 44, G.A.R. in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Laws. (See appropriations)

Art. 15 Voted, to appropriate the sum of One hundred and fifty dollars to complete change of sidewalk on Oak Hill road, (See article 6 Special Town meeting November 5 1914) (See appropriations)

Art. 16 Voted, to appropriate the sum of One hundred dollars for the care and Maintainance of the swimming pool. (See appropriations)

Art. 17 Voted, to appropriate two hundred dollars for play grounds, Expenditure to be under a Committee of three to be appointed by the Chair. (See appropriations)
Chair appointed

Art. 18 Voted to leave in hands of Selectmen, to investigate and report at the next Town Meeting.

Art. 19 Voted, to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Committee to care for the village building in Fayville.

Art. 20 Voted, to appropriate $250.00 to be expended by the Tree Warden in planting shade trees, in order that the town may enter the Shade Tree Planting contest, conducted by the Massachusetts Forestry Association

(See appropriations)

Art. 21 Voted, to appropriate ($250.00) two hundred and fifty dollars for repairing the side walks in Southville, leading from the Railroad Station of the Boston and Albany R.R. to Southville Road, thence Westerly on Southville Road as far as side walk now extends, and for repairing side walk from Southville Post Office to Lindsey's Hall.

Art. 22 Voted, that the Town Hall Committee be instructed to let the Town Hall for Basket Ball playing.

Art. 23 Voted, to have the Selectmen pay the original fire bills, that have been presented by the Fire Wardens of the South part of the Town, from 1915 Appropriation

Voted, to pay firemen 40¢ per hour for services at fires.

Art. 24 Voted, to appropriate the sum of fifty dollars for the payment of the services of a nurse, in the work of School inspection.

(See appropriations)

Art. 25 Voted, that the Highway Surveyor be instructed to repair Gilmore Road near Shuttleworth House, money to be taken from highway appropriation.

Art. 26 Voted, to appropriate a sum not exceeding two hundred dollars for repair and

erection of sign boards, on the Highways.
Voted that a special committee be appointed by the Chair to carry out the purpose of this vote.
Chair appointed 2 Francis D Newton
1 Mrs Chas A Kidder
3 Paul S. Lincoln

Art. 27 Voted, to pass the article.

Art. 28 Voted, to appropriate One hundred dollars in addition to the One hundred dollars for transportation (included in the $1700.00 estimate for the Library) of books, making a total of two hundred dollars for the establishing and maintainance of a branch of the Public Library in the South Union School Building.
(See appropriations
To be left in the hands of the Library Trustees, they to cooperate with the School Committee.

Art. 29 Voted, to extend the privilege of the floor to John Sealey, he not being a voter.
After much discussion, it was voted to leave the question of the drainage of surface water near the house of John Sealey, in the hands of the Highway Surveyor, any expenditure to be from Highway Appropriation.

Art. 30 Voted, to give John Sealey privilege of the floor.
Voted, to build a concrete sidewalk four feet wide on westerly side of Newton Street, beginning 20 feet South of where South end of plank walk now is and build as far North as Three hundred dollars will go.
Under Highway Surveyor

Art. 31 Voted, that the Highway Surveyor be instructed to complete the extension of Walker Street, as layed out, expenditure not to exceed three hundred dollars (See appropriations

Art. 32 Voted that a committee of three be appointed by the Chair, to investigate whether or not the old Road leading from Oak Hill Road, Southerly to the house of Harriet E. Walkup has been discontinued, and to make such recommendations as they think best.

Chair appointed Lyman Dollenby
Wm H. Outhank
Chas H. Newton

Art. 33 Voted, to pass this article.

Art. 34 Voted, to pass this article.

Art. 35 Voted, that the Selectmen and the Highway Surveyor be a committee to go before the State Highway Commissioner or the County Commissioners, and ask for a sum of money to rebuild Marlborough Road from the Marlborough-Town line to Main Street Southborough.

Art. 36 Voted under Article 12 of this meeting.

Art. 37 Voted, to authorize the Town Accountant to close 1914 accounts showing overdrafts or balances, and to transfer unexpended balance of $ 36.52 of Library Dog tax and $ 23.84 fines collected to the Fay Library Trust income account.

At 12-15 it was voted to postpone further consideration of articles till 1-15 P.M.
At 1-15 P.M. the meeting came to order
At 2-45 P.M. Voted to take two hundred ballots from the Ballot box and begin counting.
At 4-10 P.M. Polls declared closed
Ballot Box Register showed [0|2|3|8]
Names checked on Check Lists as having voted 238
Moderator counted out 38 more ballots making the total number of ballots 238.

The ballots were counted as required by law and public declaration made as follows:

Art 2 For Town Clerk
S 3/5 Charles H. Newton had two hundred and two votes
by L.D.N. J.P. 36 blanks

For Town Treasurer
S 3/5 Thomas E. Waldron had two hundred and five votes
33 blanks

For Collector of Taxes
S 3/8 Charles L. Fairbanks had one hundred ninety-five votes
Person had one vote 42 blanks

For Selectman for 3 years
S 3/5 Francis W. Newton had one hundred eighty-nine votes
John Doe had one vote
48 blanks

For Assessor for 3 years
S 3/5 Louiselle E Carpenter had one hundred seventy-six votes
A. E. Rowles had one vote
J. Doe had one vote
60 blanks

For Overseer of the Poor for 3 years
S. 3/4 Daniel L. Harrington had one hundred seventy six votes
6 z blanks

For School Committee for 3 years
S 3/5 Seth H Howes had one hundred eighty-two votes
Frank Buck had one vote
55 blanks

For Town House Committee
John J. Flannery had one hundred eighty two votes
Charles O. Misener had one hundred seventy-seven votes
De Clinton Nichols had one hundred eighty-six votes
169 blanks

For Cemetery Commissioner 3 years
Charles O. Misener had one hundred and five votes
S 3/7 Patrick M. Salmon had one hundred and eleven votes.
22 blanks

For Constables
S 3/4 William Bagley had one hundred thirty five votes
S 3/5 Edward C. Chase had one hundred thirty one votes
William Duncan had one hundred twenty-eight votes
S 3/4 Lyman Pollenby had one hundred thirty-three votes
S 3/4 Charles C. Hildreth had one hundred forty one votes
S 3/4 Thomas McCarthy had one hundred thirteen votes
S 3/4 Charles O. Misener had one hundred fifteen votes
S 3/4 Francis W. Newton had one hundred fifty five votes
S 3/4 Francis J. Salmon had one hundred eleven votes
978 blanks

For Highway Surveyor
Edward C. Chase had thirty-four votes
S 3/4 William A. Gould had one hundred thirty-four votes
Harry R. Lincoln had fifty-nine votes
11 blanks

For Tree Warden
S. Apil. Harry Burnett had one hundred eighty-two votes
56 blanks

For Trustees of Library for 3 years
S 3/4 Robert A. Cheney had one hundred sixty-seven votes
Charles L. Fairbanks had one hundred eighty votes
Avery had one vote
Collins had one vote
127 blanks

For Trustee of Library 1 year
S Patrick H. Boland had one hundred sixty eight votes
70 blanks

For Advisory Committee 3 year
John T. Macy had one hundred sixty-one votes
Augustus E. Wright had one hundred sixty eight votes
H. L. Sleeper had one vote
Collins had one vote
145 blanks

For Advisory Committee 2 years
Robt M. Burnett had one hundred eighty eight votes
50 blanks

For Board of Health 3 years
John L. Bacon had one hundred seventy two votes
Dr Merrill had two votes
Irving Smith had one vote
63 blanks

The following officers were elected by Nomination from the floor.

Measurers of Wood and Bark
Paul S. Lincoln
Irving Smith
S 1/16 De Clinton Nichols
Marcus Jackson
Edw F. Collins

Surveyors of Lumber

C. L. Parmenter S 4/16 De Clinton Nichols

Public Weighers

Francis Wright John Sealey
S 4/16 De Clinton Nichols Thomas Fitzgerald
H. W. Young Herbert Jones

Field Drivers

Ralph Sealey John McGuire
Frank Salmon James P. Bagley

Pound Keeper

Henry Newton

Fence Viewers

S. 3/4 Lyman Hollensby Thomas P. Lindsay
Raymond H Cressey Charles F. Leland

Art 3 For License to sell intoxicating liquor

Yes	82
No	129
blanks	29

Art 5 Acceptance of Chapter 807 acts 1913 *

Yes	104
No	52
blanks	82

* "Shall Chapter 807 of the Acts of nineteen hundred and thirteen, being an act to provide for compensating laborers, workmen and mechanics for injuries sustained in public employment, and to exempt from legal liability counties and municipal corporations which pay such compensation, be accepted by the inhabitants of this Town?"

Charles F. Newton
Town Clerk

After the announcement was made the

Tally sheets, ballots cast and unused ballots were tied in packages, properly signed and sealed as by law required, and it was voted to dissolve the Meeting.

Charles H. Hamblen
Town Clerk

Appointments 1915

Southboro Mar. 5 1915

To Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day, the following appointments were made for the ensuing year:

	Charles H. Newton	Clerk for Selectmen
	Samuel F. Draper	Burial Agent
	James A Stockwell	Weighers of Coal
	Augustus E. Wright	
S 4/14	De Clinton Nichols	
	Herbert W. Jones	
	Thomas Fitzgerald	
	John Sealey	
S 3/13	Edward C. Nichols	
	William Smiddy	Special Police without pay, for the protection of the Waters of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board in the Town of Southboro.
	Fred M. Dole	
	Marcus D. Jackson	Special Police without pay.
	John T. Burnett	
	Michael R. Maley	Special Police without pay for the protection of St Mark's School property
S 3/13	Willard C. Simpson	Special Police
	John A. Flannery	Fire Wardens
	Charles C. Hildreth	
	Charles Jones	
	John Jr O'Brien	
	James B. Johnson	
	Parker Kheman	
S 3/19	Herbert C. Sleeper	

Willard C. Simpson — Sealer of Weights and Measures

Allan H. Draper — Registrar of Votes: for 3 years.

Josiah True
John H. McCloskey
Samuel T. Draper
— Committee for care of Bayville Village Hall.

Yours very truly
Chas. H. Newton
Clerk of Selectmen

A true copy, Attest:
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Special Primary Mar. 9, 1915

Call for Primary Election

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester ss

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall in said Southborough on Tuesday the 9th day of March next at seven of the clock in the afternoon, to bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of candidates of Political Parties for the office of Representative in General Court to fill a vacancy existing in District No. 10 in the County of Worcester caused by the existance of a tie vote in said District.

The Polls will be open from seven of the clock P.M. to Nine P.M.

And you are hereby directed to serve this call by posting up attested copies thereof at the Town Hall, Post Office, and Depot, and five other public and conspicuous places in said town, seven days at least before the time of said Primary Election and by publishing the same in the Westborough Chronicle.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Call with your doings thereon to the presiding officer at said Primary Election.

Given under our hands this nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen

A true copy attest
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Francis D. Newton
Lyman Tollansby
Raymond H. Curtis
} Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Mar. 9, 1915

I have served this Call as herein directed by posting up attested copies at the Town Hall, Post-Office, Depots and five other public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before time set for said primary Election and have caused the same to be published in the Westborough Chronotype

Charles C. Fildreth
Constable of Southboro

A true Copy.
Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election May 9, 1915

In accordance with the preceding warrant the voters of Southboro qualified to vote in Primaries met in the Town Hall at seven o'clock in the Evening, Lyman Follansby read the Warrant and the officers return thereon

The Election Officers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of

Edw. F. Collins — Herbert Jones
Andrew R. Sullivan — Wm. H. Outhauck
A. J. Newton and Harry A. McMaster

were qualified by the Town Clerk, were stationed two at Ballot Table check list two at Ballot Box check list, one at Ballot Box which was publicly opened and showed to be empty, it was then locked by a Constable who retained the key The register on the Ballot Box showed 0000

Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt taken therefor

Officers were stationed at the entrance to and exits from the Polls, which were declared open, and remained so for two hours.

The names of 16 voters were checked as having received ballots, 16 names of voters were checked as having deposited their ballots in the Ballot Box, the register showed 0016 there were 16 ballots taken from the ballot box

13 republican, 3 democratic,

The counting proceeded as by law directed

Republican Candidates Rep. 10th Ware Dist.
George A. Whitney of Clinton had thirteen votes

Democratic Candidates — Rep. 10th Ward Dist.
Austin L. Kittredge of Clinton had two votes
Henry C. Richter of Clinton had one vote

There were no Progressive votes

The ballots used were sealed up, the tally sheets signed and the Primary Election voted dissolved.

Charles H. Meerton
Town Clerk

Warrant for Special Election Mar. 20, 1915

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in Elections to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on Tuesday, March 23rd instant at twelve of the clock in the forenoon then and there to bring in their votes to the Selectmen for

One Representative in General Court to fill a vacancy caused by the exhistance of a tie vote in District No 16 in said County of Worcester.

The votes for Representative to be on one ballot.

The Polls will be open at twelve of the clock in the forenoon and may be closed at four of the clock in the afternoon of said day.

And you are directed to give notice hereof by posting up true and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town Hall, Depots, Post Offices, and three other public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said Meeting and by publication in some newspaper if any be published in said Town

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Selectmen at the time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands this ninth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

Raymond H. Cochrain
Lyman Dolleby
Francis D. Newton
} Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough March 20, 1915

I have served this Warrant as therein directed by posting up attested copies at the Town Hall Depot, Post Office, and three other Public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting and have caused the same to be published in the Westborough Chronotype

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable
of
Southborough

A true copy of
Warrant and return.

Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Special Election May. 23, 1915.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough met at the time and place and for the purpose therein mentioned.

The meeting was called to order by Raymond H. Overon and the warrant and Officers return thereon was by him read

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers who had been previously appointed by the Selectmen consisting of:

Henry M Rogers	Timothy Bagley
A.J. Newton	Edw. F. Collins
Herbert W. Jones	Andrew R. Sullivan
Harry A. McMaster	William F. Outhank

appeared before Raymond H. Overon the Presiding Election Officer and were duly qualified.

A package supposed to contain five hundred Official ballots was delivered to the ballot clerks by the Town Clerk and their receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, was then closed, locked and the key taken in custody by constable Charles C. Hildreth

The Ballot clerks and tellers were stationed at their respective tables with their check lists. Constables were stationed at the entrance and exhibit of the polling place and at twelve o'clock M. the polls were declared open for ballots.

At fifteen minutes past three, all being agreed it was voted to unlock the ballot box and take out 50 ballots and begin counting, the register showed [0][0][9][1][0] The ballot box was again locked and voting resumed.

At 30 minutes past three the Ballot Box was again unlocked and fifty more ballots taken out, the register at this time showing [0|1|0|3] The Ballot Box was locked and voting continued

At four o'clock it was voted that the Polls be kept open till five o'clock

At five o'clock the Presiding Officer declared the Polls closed.

The Registered showed [0|1|2|8]"

Ballot Table check list showed the names of 127 voters checked as having been given ballots.

Ballot Box check list showed the names of 127 voters checked as having deposited their ballots.

Constable Hildreth unlocked the Ballot Box and the Presiding Officer Counting aloud took out twenty-seven ballots making a total of 127.

The counting of the ballots was completed and public declaration made as by law required, and was as follows;

Austin J. Kittredge of Clinton had forty three votes (43)
George A. Whitney of Clinton had eighty two votes (82)
2 Blanks

After the announcement of the result, the check lists, the ballots cast and the unused ballots were tied in packages sealed and signed as by law required and the meeting dissolved.

Charles H. Wilson
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Statement of Votes for Representatives to General Court, South Worcester Dist.

Names of Candidates	Residence	Berlin	Bolton	Boylston	Clinton	Northboro	Southboro	Westboro	West Boylston	Total
Austin J. Kittredge	Clinton	6	8	4	1042	75	43	119	10	1307
George A. Whitney	Clinton	117	94	75	790	202	82	313	85	1758
Blanks		—	—	—	8	4	2	2	—	16
		123	102	79	1840	281	127	434	95	3081

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the South Representative District of Worcester County, certify that the above is a true statement of the returns of votes cast on the Twenty-third day of March, 1915, for two Representatives to the General Court, made to us by the Selectmen of the Towns in said District.

Frank H. Crossman — Town Clerk of Berlin
Frank A. Powers — Town Clerk of Bolton
George L. Wright — Town Clerk of Boylston
James H. Carr — Town Clerk of Clinton
Francis M. Harrington — Town Clerk of Northboro
Charles H. Newton — Town Clerk of Southboro
Joseph L. Gates — Town Clerk of Westboro
William J. Holmes — Town Clerk of West Boylston.

Clinton, Mass., March 27, 1915

A true copy, Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk
of
Southborough.

Southborough Apr. 7-15

To. Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day William F. Cuthank was appointed Inspector of Animals for the ensuing year.

Chas H. Newton
Clerk of Selectmen

A true copy, Attest:
Chas H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Apr 2 1915

Then personally appeared before me the above named William F. Cuthank who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of an Inspector of Animals.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.

The subscriber hereby requests the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company to install in their premises a telephone station or stations, all as shown in detail on the reverse hereof, and to furnish exchange service upon the terms and conditions applicable thereto, as printed from time to time in the Company's Telephone Directory.

The subscriber agrees to pay the Company's established rates for exchange service and for all toll calls from said station or stations; and also agrees to pay for all equipment furnished on his oral or written order and when service is moved to another location at his request, to pay the established charges therefor.

The Company reserves the right to require payment of charges in advance. All bills shall become due on presentation and to be payable at the company's office.

This request shall become a binding contract when accepted by the company and shall continue for the term of 12 months from said date of acceptance, and thereafter, until cancelled by --- days' notice in writing from one party to the other. It is understood that the Company's acceptance and obligations hereunder are dependant upon the possession of suitable facilities for construction and maintenance of the necessary circuits. The whole agreement between the parties is herein stated.

Accepted by the N. E. Tel & Tel Co

June 15 1915

R. J. Bennett Mgr.

June 8 1915

R. H. Dorson
Chairman
Selectmen
of
Southborough

Listing Desired Selectmen Office
(Free on acct of population)

I hereby certify to the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company that the service furnished the municipality under this contract free on the basis of population is wholly for municipal purposes.

R. H. Pierson Chairman

A true abstract,
Attest:
Charles H Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough July 2nd
Parker Whitman was this day appointed a weigher of Coal.

Selectmen of Southborough
by Chas H. Newton
Clerk

Southboro July 5
Personally appeared before me the above named Parker Whitman who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a weigher of Coal.

Chas H Newton
Town Clerk

Special Police Met Water Board

To Chas H. Newton
Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Selectmen held July 16, 1915, Fletcher Osgood was appointed a Special Police without pay at the Sudbury Reservoir in Southboro.

Selectmen of Southborough
by Chas. H. Newton
Clerk

Notified by mail July 17, 1915
C.H.N.

Personally appeared before me Fletcher Osgood who duly qualified as above appointed.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Fire Warden Appointed

Southboro Aug. 20, 1915

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day, Albert E. Hitt was appointed Fire Warden for the remainder of the year.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough, Mass. Aug. 14, 1915

We, the subscribers hereby certify that we have this day met and perambulated the line between the Towns of Southborough and the Town of Ashland, that we have found all the bounds in position and have renewed the marks thereon.

Lyman Follansby
Francis D. Newton
} Selectmen of Southborough

Charles J Dearborn
} Selectmen of Ashland

I hereby Certify that the Ballots cast at the Annual March Meeting 1915 have been distroyed. Also those cast at the Special Primary Mar. 9 1915, and the Special Election Mar. 23 1915.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Warrant for Primary September 1915

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town House in said Town of Southborough

Tuesday, the Twenty-first Day of September, 1915 at seven o'clock P.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following officers:

Governor	for this	Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor	"	"
Secretary of the Commonwealth	"	"
Treasurer and Receiver General	"	"
Auditor of the Commonwealth	"	"
Attorney-General	"	"
Councillor	"	7th Councillor District
Senator	"	4th Senatorial "
Two Representatives in General Court	"	10th Representative "
County Commissioner	Worcester	County
County Treasurer	"	"
Sheriff	"	"

and for the Election of the following officers:

District Member of State Committee for each political party for the 4th Senatorial District,

Five members of the Democratic Town Committee.

Five members of the Republican Town Committee.

Five members of the Progressive Party Town Committee.
Delegates to State Conventions of Political Parties.
All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot.
The polls will be open from ~~seven~~ 7 to ~~nine~~ 9 P.M.
And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.
Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.
Given under our hands this third day of September, A. D. 1915.

Raymond H. Dveson
Lyman Dollenby
Francis D. Newton
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true Copy. Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk.

Southborough Sept. 21, 1915

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy. Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election September 21, 1915.

In accordance with the preceding warrant the voters of Southborough qualified to vote in Primaries met in the Town Hall at seven O'clock in the evening, Raymond H. Dodson as presiding Election Officer read the Warrand and the Constables return thereon.

The Election Officers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of William H. Smithard, Herbert W. [illegible] Harry A. McMaster, Andrew R. Sullivan Timothy Bagley, and Henry M. Rogers, were qualified by the Presiding Officer, two were stationed at the Ballot Table check list, two at the Ballot Box check list and two at the Ballot Box.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and showed to be empty, it was then locked the key being kept by Constable Hildreth, The register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 0 0

Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

Officers were stationed at the entrance to and exit from the Polls, at 7-05 the polls were declared open, at 9-10 they were declared closed, having been kept open at least two hours.

At the ballot clerks table the names of Eighty-five (85) voters were checked as having received ballots, Eighty-five names of voters were checked as having deposited ballots in the ballot box. The register showed 0 0 8 7

There were eighty-five ballots taken from the Ballot Box by the Presiding Election Officer, 68 Republican 14 Democratic 2 Progressive and 1 defective.

The counted proceeded as by law directed. The Republican Ballots were counted first and declaration made as follows;

Candidates:-

for Governor

Grafton D. Cushing	had 17 votes
Eugene N. Foss	had 00 votes
Samuel W. McCall	had 51 votes
	No blanks

for Lieut Governor

Calvin Coolidge	had 49 votes
Guy Andrews Ham	had 18 votes
	6 blanks

for Secretary

Albert P. Langtry	had 57 votes
	11 blanks

for Treasurer

Charles L. Burrill	had 57 votes
	11 blanks

for Auditor

Edward C. R. Bagley	had 12 votes
Alonzo B. Cook	had 31 votes
Samuel W. George	had 15 votes
	10 blanks

for Attorney-General

Henry C. Attwill	had 58 votes
	15 blanks

for Councillor - 7th District

Frank B. Edgell	had 29 votes
Elbridge G. P. Guy	had 11 votes
Channing Smith	had 14 votes
	14 blanks

for Senator 4th Worc. Dist
William A. L. Bazeley had 57 votes
11 blanks

for Representative in
General Court 10th Worc Dist.
Albert M. Tyler had 48 votes
George A. Whitney had 57 votes
31 blanks

for County Commissioner Worcester County
Arthur C. Moore had 43 votes
Warren E. Jarbell had 8 votes
17 blanks

for County Treasurer Worcester
Edgar L. Ramsdell had 54 votes
14 blanks

for Sheriff Worcester
Albert F. Richardson had 55 votes
13 blanks

for State Committee 4th Worc Dist
Stanley H. Wheelock
of Uxbridge had 13 votes
65 blanks

for Delegates to State Convention (Vote for 2)
Augustus E. Wright had 46 votes
Robert A. Newton had 50 votes
40 blanks

for Town Committee (Vote for 5)
Francis D. Newton had 47 votes
Charles F. Choate Jr. had 50 votes
Samuel F. Draper had 50 votes
Augustus E. Wright had 50 votes
Robert A. Newton had 49 votes
C. L. Fairbanks had 1 vote
94 blanks

The Democratic vote was as follows;
for Governor
Frederick L. Deitrick had no votes
David I. Walsh had 12 votes
2 blanks

for Lieut. Gov.
Edward P. Barry — had 14 votes
0 blanks

for Secretary
Edwin A. Grosvenor — had 11 votes
3 blanks

for Treasurer
Henry L. Bowles — had 12 votes
2 blanks

for Auditor
Jacob C. Morse — had 12 votes
2 blanks

for Attorney-General
Joseph Joyce Donahue — had 13 votes
Harold Williams, Jr. — had 3 votes
1 blank

for Councillor 7th Dist
14 blanks

for Senator 4th Worc. Dist.
14 blanks

for Representatives in
General Court, 10th Worc Dist.
Austin J. Kittredge — had 11 votes
3 blanks

for County Commissioner Worcester
14 blanks

for County Treasurer Worcester
14 blanks

for Sheriff Worcester
14 blanks

for State Committee 4th Worc District
14 blanks

for Delegate to State Convention (Vote for)
Daniel F. Harrington — had 9 votes

for Town Committee
John E. Welch — had 9 votes
Daniel F. Harrington — had 9 votes
Seth H. Howes — had 9 votes
Charles E. Bagley — had 9 votes
Patrick H Lennon — had 9 votes

Andrew R. Sullivan had one vote
J. McDonald had one vote
23 blanks

The Progressive Party vote was as follows:

for Governor
Nelson B. Clark had 2 votes

for Lieut Gov.
No votes

for Secretary
No votes

for Treasurer
No votes

for Auditor
no votes

for Attorney-General
No votes

for Councillor 7th Dist
No votes

for Senator 4th Dist
Bazeley had 1 vote

for Representatives in General Court
there were no votes

for County Commissioner Worcester
No votes

for County Treasurer Worcester
No votes

for Sheriff Worcester
No votes

for State Committee Fourth Ward Dist
No votes

for Delegates to State Convention (Vote for 3)
Lyman Tollenby had 1 vote
Herbert Sleeper had 1 vote
E. T. Collins had 1 vote
3 blanks

for Town Committee
E. T. Collins had 1 vote
L. Tollenby had 1 vote
H. C. Sleeper had 1 vote
3 blanks

The ballots cast were sealed in packages the tally sheets signed, and the Primary Election was voted dissolved.

Charles H. Hewitson
Town Clerk

Warrant for Special Town Meeting Sept. 21, 1915

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester S.S.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough, qualified in said County,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Southborough, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on Tuesday September 21st 1915. at eight O'clock in the afternoon then and there to take action on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Article 2. To see if the Town will authorize its Selectmen to contract with with the Marlborough Electric Company, for lighting the Streets as set fourth in a proposed Contract to be submitted at said meeting. or do or act respecting said Contract.

Article 3. To see if the Town will give the Fire Companies, the use of the public hall in their respective district one night of the year free or act thereon.

Article 4. To see if the Town will adopt the following By law:-

"No sign, fucture or advertisement shall be placed or maintained, or any words or phrase displayed upon any structure, fence, billboard, post or land, within 100 yards of the Town House or Common and visible therefrom without the approval of the Selectmen. any person violating the provisions of this section shall be subject to a fine of twenty dollars for each offence, and it shall be the duty of the Selectmen to enforce the provisions hereof."

Article 5. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer to borrow with the approval of the Selectmen the sum of $5,000.00 in anticipation of taxes.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Town Hall Depots, Post Offices, and they other public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting and by publication in the Southborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this tenth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

Raymond H. Overson
Lyman Follansby
Francis W. Newton
} Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Sept. 21, 1915

I have caused this warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies

thereof at the Town Hall, Depots, Post Offices, and three other public and conspicuous places in said town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and have caused the same to be published in the Southborough Enterprise.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy. Attest:

Charles H Newton
Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting

September 21, 1915

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough met at the Town Hall at the appointed time, and transacted the following business.

Art. 1 Chose Seth H. Howes by ballot for Moderator Mr. Howes not being at the Hall the meeting then chose by ballot Raymond H. Dreson Moderator pro tem.

Art. 2 Voted, that the Selectmen be instructed and authorized to execute with the Marlborough Electric Light Co. the contract submitted by them, with the understanding that it shall be amended so as to read one o'clock instead of twelve forty five and that word move shall read remove.

Art. 3. Voted, to give the Fire Companies the use of the public hall in their respective district one night of the year free.

Art. 4 Voted, that the Town adopt the following By. law:

"No sign, picture, or advertisement shall be placed or maintained, or any words or phrases displayed upon any structure, fence, bill-board, post, or land, within 100 yards of the Town House or Common, and visible therefrom, without the approval of the Selectmen, Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be subject to a fine of twenty dollars for each offence. And it shall be the duty of the Selectmen to enforce the provisions hereof.

by a rising vote 36 in favor
5 against

Art. 5 Voted, That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1 1915 (In an amount not exceeding in the aggregate $5,000.00) and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year by rising vote 50 in favor none opposed.

Voted, to dissolve the meeting.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss. Town of Southborough Oct. 1915

In accordance with chapter 176 of the Revised Laws and the amendments thereto, We, the Selectmen of the Town of Southborough in said county, have prepared the following list of names of inhabitants of said town to serve as Jurors:—

Name	Occupation	Post office	Residence
Allen Silas G.	Contractor	Southboro	Cottage Southborough Rd
Brewer Walter B.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Rd.
Burnett John J.	Farmer	Southboro	Main St.
Draper Allen H.	Carpenter & Builder	Fayville	Central St.
Eaton Harris D.	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Rd
Fairbanks Chas L.	Express Agt.	Southboro	Main St.
Field George F.	Merchant	Southboro	Clifford St.
Follensby Lyman	Farmer	Cordaville	Woodland Rd
Hyde Albert F.	Janitor	Southboro	Main St.
Hyde Frank L.	Shoe Worker	Southville	Prentiss St.
Ladd Harry C.	Mill Operative	Cordaville	College St.
Leland Chas. F.	Farmer	Southboro	Main St.
Lincoln Harry R.	Farmer	Westboro R.F.D.	Turnpike Rd.
Sleeper Herbert C.	Farmer	Westboro R.F.D.	Middle R.d.
Sullivan Andrew R.	Mechanic	Cordaville	Highland Rd
Tufts Chas. C.	Retired	Southville	Wood St.

Selectmen of Southborough
R. H. Dyer
Lyman Follensby
Francis V. Newton

A true copy,
Attest;
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

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Perambulation of Town lines between Marlborough and Southborough Mass. 1915.

Pursuant to the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, We, Marcus M. Mueller, John Dalton and William Husbands, by order of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Marlborough, and the Select-men of the Town of Southborough, met on the seventh day of October, A. D. 1915, and perambulated the lines between our respective towns as follows, viz:—

Commencing at a Stone Monument marked T.-M.- and S.- standing near the Northerly side of the highway leading from Marlborough to North Framingham, and marking the corner of the towns of Framingham and Southborough and the City of Marlborough; thence in a Westerly direction to a Stone Monument on the Easterly side of the Sudbury Reservoir; thence to a Stone Monument standing on an island in the said Sudbury Reservoir; thence in a Westerly direction to a Stone Monument on the Easterly side of the highway near Acre Bridge; thence in the same direction, (a continuation of the last mentioned line) to a Stone Monument on the Westerly side of Maple Street, near Marlborough Junction; thence on a continuation of the last named line to a Stone Monument on the Westerly side of the highway leading from Marlborough

to Westborough near the house of John E. Stratton; thence on the same last mentioned line to a stone Monument marking an ang , near the house of Addington Brigham; thence Westerly to a Ston Monument on the Westerly side of the road leading from West Marlborough to Westborough, near the house of Martin Roach; thence Westerly to a Stone Monument standing on a hill in the pasture of Martin Roach; thence Westerly to a Stone Monument on the Westerly side of the High-way leading from Northborough to Southborough; and thence continuing the last course to a Stone Monument standing at the corner of the towns of Northborough and Southborough and the City of Marlborough.

The foregoing Monuments we found, marked, and left in good condition.

John Dalton
Marcus M. Multer
William Husbands
} Representing the City of Marlborough, by order of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

Raymond H. Overson
Leyman Tollenby
Francis W. Newton
} Selectmen of the Town of Southborough.

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk.

Warrant for November Election 1915

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet at the Town House in said Southborough, on

Tuesday, Nov. 2d next

at six o forty-five of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to bring in their votes to the Selectmen for Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Councillor, Senator, Two Representatives in General Court, County Commissioner, County Treasurer, Sheriff, Nine Commissioners to apportion Suffolk County into Representative Districts, and to vote "Yes" or "No" on the following questions:

Second ~~First~~: Acceptance of Chapt. 130, Resolves of 1915, entitled, "Resolved to provide for submitting to the people the article of amendment of the Constitution striking the word 'Male' from the qualifications of voters."

Third: Acceptance of Chapt. 140, Resolves of 1915, entitled "Resolve to provide for submitting to the people the article of amendment of the Constitution relative to the authority of the General Court to impose taxes."

First; Acceptance of Chapter 129, "Resolves of 1915, entitled, Resolves to provide for submitting to the people the article of amendment of the constitution empowering the General Court to authorize the taking of land to relieve congestion of population and to provide homes for citizens."

The votes for Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Councillor, Senator, Two Representatives in General Court, County Commissioner, County Treasurer, Sheriff, and Nine-Commissioners to apportion Suffolk County into Representative Districts to be on one ballot.

The Polls will be opened promptly at six forty-five of the clock in the forenoon, and may be closed at three of the clock in the afternoon of said day.

And you are to give notice hereof by posting up true and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town House, Depots, Post Office, and three other public and conspicuous places in said town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publication in the Southborough Chronotype.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Selectmen at the time and place of said Meeting.

Given under our hands this fifteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

Raymond H. Dodson
Lyman Follansby
Francis O. Newton
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Nov. 2, 1915.

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies hereof at the Town House, Depots, Post Offices, and three other public and conspicuous places in said town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting and have caused the same to be published in the Southborough Chronotype.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
and Officer return.

Attest:
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk.

November Election, 1915

In accordance with the preceding warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough met at the time and place and for the purpose therein mentioned.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk who read the Warrant and the Officer return thereon. The Ballot Clerks and Tellers who had been previously appointed by the Selectmen, Consisting of;

Timothy Bagley	William J. Outhank	A.J. Newton
Harry Ladd	Andrew R. Sullivan	H. W. Jones
Henry M. Rogers	Harry McMaster	

appeared before Raymond H. Dresser, the Presiding Election Officer and were duly qualified.

A sealed package supposed to contain 500 Offical Ballots was delivered to the Ballot Clerks by the Town Clerk and their receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, was then closed, locked and the key taken in custody by Constable Charles C. Hildreth.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers were stationed at their respective tables with their check lists, Constables were stationed at the entrance and exhit of the polling place and at six forty-five A.M the Polls were declared to be open for ballots.

At ten minutes past two o'clock in the afternoon it was voted, The Selectmen Town Clerk and all the Election Officers being present, That the ballot box be opened and two hundred ballots be taken therefrom, That the counting might commence.

The Ballot Box Registered [0|2|4|5]

The Presiding Officer counting aloud counted out two hundred ballots, after which the Ballot Box was again locked

as before and the voting proceeded as before
The Presiding Officer appointed Timothy Bagley,
Harry McMasters, Harry Ladd and A. J. Newton
to count the ballots taken from the box
and they at once commenced the canvas

At three-thirty o'clock it was voted to close
the Polls at three-forty o'clock.

At three-forty P. M. the Presiding Election officer
declared the Polls closed.

The Ballot Box registered [0|3|1|4]
The Ballot clerks check list showed 313 names of Voters
checked as having been given ballots
The Ballot Box clerks check list showed 313
names of voters checked as having deposited
their ballots.

The ballots remaining in the Box were
taken out singly and counted aloud
and they were one hundred and thirteen
making a total of three hundred and
thirteen ballots.

The counting of the ballots was then
completed according to law and public
declaration of the result was announced
as follows:

November Election 1915

For Governor

Nelson B. Clark - of Beverly	had seven votes	7
Walter S. Hutchins - of Greenfield	had two votes	2
Samuel W. McCall - of Winchester	had one hundred seventy-two votes	172
Peter O'Rourke - of Medford	had no votes	0
William Shaw - of Andover	had ten votes	10
David L. Walsh - of Fitchburg	had one hundred twenty-one votes	121

Blanks, - one

For Lieutenant Governor

Edward P. Barry - of Boston	had one hundred one votes	101
Calvin Coolidge - of Northampton	had one hundred eighty-seven votes	187
Alfred H. Evans - of Hadley	had eight votes	08
James Hayes - of Plymouth	had no votes	0
Chester R. Lawrence - of Boston	had three votes	3
Samuel P. Levenberg - of Boston	had one vote	1

Blanks - thirteen

For Secretary

Edwin A. Grosvenor - of Amherst	had ninety votes	90
Albert P. Langtry - of Springfield	had one hundred ninety-one votes	191
Thomas J. Mahey - of Newton	had one vote	1
Marion E. Sproule - of Lowell	had two votes	2
Willard O. Wylie - of Beverly	had seven votes	7

Blanks - twenty two

For Treasurer

	had eighty-nine votes	89
Henry L. Bowles - of Springfield	had one hundred ninety-two votes	192
Charles L. Burrill - of Boston	had two votes	2
Charles E. Jennen - of Worcester	had [illegible] votes	7
William E. Marks - of Worcester	had two votes	2
Jeremiah P. McNally - of Salem		

Blanks - twenty-one

For Auditor

Alonzo B. Cook - of Boston	had one hundred seventy-seven votes
James W. Holden - of New Bedford	had three votes
Henry C. Irons - of Warwick	had three votes
Jacob C. Manse - of Brookline	had ninety-three votes
William G. Rogers - of Wilbraham	had seven votes

Blanks - thirty

For Attorney General

Henry C. Attwill - of Lynn	had one hundred eighty-nine
Frank Aucter - of Boston	had eight votes
Joseph Joyce Conlon - of Medford	had eighty-six votes
John McCarthy - of Abington	had three votes
William Taylor - of Worcester	had two votes

Blanks - twenty-five

For Councillor - Seventh District

Channing Smith - of Leicester	had two hundred nine votes

Blanks one hundred and four

For Senator - South Worcester District

William A. L. Bazeley - of Uxbridge	had one hundred ninety-two votes
John D. Hoolahan - of Uxbridge	had eighty-one votes

Blanks - forty

For Representatives in General Court
South Worcester District

Austin J. Kittredge - of Clinton	had one hundred votes
Albert M. Tyler - of West Boylston	had one hundred seventy-six votes
George A. Whitney - of Clinton	had one hundred fifty-one

Blanks - one hundred ninety-nine

For County Commissioner

Arthur C. Moore - of Southbridge had one hundred eighty-eight votes
James A. Powers - of Worcester had eighty-one votes

Blanks - forty-four

For County Treasurer

Edgar L. Ramsdell - of Worcester had two hundred twelve votes

Blanks - one hundred and one

For Sheriff - Worcester County

Albert F. Richardson - of Worcester
had two hundred and sixteen votes

Blanks ninety-seven

Shall the proposed amendment to the constitution, empowering the general court to authorize the taking of land to relieve congestion of population and to provide homes for citizens be approved and ratified?

Yes. one hundred fifty-four
No. seventy-seven

Blanks eighty-two

Shall the following proposed amendment to the constitution, enabling women to vote, be approved and ratified?

Article of Amendment.

Article three of the articles of amendment to the constitution of the commonwealth is hereby amended by striking out in the first line thereof the word "Male".

Yes Eighty three
No one hundred ninety eight
Blanks - thirty two

Shall the following proposed amendment to the Constitution, relative to the taxation of incomes and the granting of reasonable exemptions, be approved and ratified?

Article of amendment

Full power and authority are hereby given and granted to the general court to impose and levy a tax on income in the manner hereinafter provided. Such tax may be at different rates upon income derived from different classes of property, but shall be levied at a uniform rate throughout the Commonwealth upon incomes derived from the same class of property. The general court may tax income not derived from property at a lower rate than income derived from property, and may grant reasonable exemptions and abatements. Any class of property the income from which is taxed under the provisions of this article may be exempted from the imposition and levying of proportional and reasonable assessments, rates and taxes as at present authorized by the Constitution. This article shall not be construed to limit the power of the general court to impose and levy reasonable duties and excises.

Yes one hundred seventy-eight
No sixty-one
blanks seventy-four

After the announcement of the result, the check lists, the ballots cast and the unused ballots were sealed and signed as by law required and the meeting was dissolved

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Statement of Votes for Representatives to General Court, South Worcester Dist.

Names of Candidates	Residence	Berlin	Bolton	Boylston	Clinton	Northboro	Southboro	Westboro	West Boylston	Total
Austin Joseph Kittredge	Clinton	8	14	15	1255	99	100	252	27	1750
Albert M. Tyler	West Boylston	137	103	98	852	236	176	480	159	2241
George A. Whitney	Clinton	124	93	74	880	198	151	457	125	2102
Scattering										1
Blanks		67	72	77	1518	187	199	443	111	2674
		336	282	264	4506	700	626	1632	422	8768

We, the Town Clerks of the several towns of the South Representative District of Worcester County, certify that the above is a true statement of the returns of votes cast on the Second day of November, 1915, for two Representatives to the General Court, made to us by the Selectmen of the Towns in said District.

Frank H. Crossman — Town Clerk of Berlin
Frank A. Powers — Town Clerk of Bolton
George L. Wright — Town Clerk of Boylston
James H. Carr — Town Clerk of Clinton
Harry F. Allen — Town Clerk of Northboro
Charles H. Newton — Town Clerk of Southboro
Joseph S. Gates — Town Clerk of Westboro
William J. Holmes — Town Clerk of West Boylston

Clinton Mass., Nov. 12, 1915.

A true Copy, Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk
of
Southborough

Perambulation of the Town Line between Southborough and Northborough October 1915.

Pursuant to the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts We, Lyman Follensby and Francis D. Newton, Selectmen of Southborough and, Clarence E. Buckley and Hermon L. Sparrow, Selectmen of Northborough have viewed the bounds between the Town of Southborough and the Town of Northborough, beginning at the bound in the woods on the west side of Walnut Hill, thence to a stone bound in the woods near the old Buck House lot about five rods north-west of Walnut Hill road.

The foregoing monuments are found, marked and left in good condition.

Lyman Follensby — Selectmen
Francis D. Newton — of Southborough

Clarence E. Buckley — Selectmen
Hermon L. Sparrow — of Northborough

A true copy;
Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk
of Southborough

Perambulation of the Town lines
between Southborough and Westborough
October 1915.

Pursuant to the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, We, Lyman Follansby and Francis W. Newton, Selectmen of the town of Southborough, and George H. Rogers and John H. Henry, Selectmen of the town of Westborough, met on the twenty-third day of October 1915.

Commencing at a stone found in the woods about five rods northwest of Walnut Hill Road, near the old Buck house lot; thence to a stone found at the northwesterly side of said Road; thence to the found on the Southerly side of the State Road leading from Southborough to Westborough; thence to the found at the south side of the road crossing the south end of High Street; thence to the stone bound on the south side of Turnpike Road about ten rods west of Washington Street; thence to a stone bound on the east side of Washington St. about ten rods south of Turnpike Road; thence to a stone bound on the south side of Gilmore Road; thence to a stone bound near a large boulder in the field north-east from the house of William A. Andrews, in Southville village; thence south-westerly to the bound in the south side of Southville road,

about twenty rods west of the house of John S Sparrock; thence south-westerly to the bound in the swamp on the south side of the Boston & Albany Railroad near Stony Brook, it being the bound of Southborough, Westborough and Hopkinton.

The foregoing monuments we found, marked and left in good condition.

Lyman Follansby } Selectmen
Francis W. Newton } of Southborough

George H. Rogers
Selectmen of Westborough

John E. Henry
Appointed

A True Copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Ballots Destroyed

I hereby certify that the Ballots cast at the Primary Election Sept. 21, 1915 and the Annual Fall Election Nov 2, 1915 have been destroyed.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Feb. 15, 1916

Republican Town Committee 1916.

Organization of the Republican Town Committee of Southborough, Mass 1916

Chmn. — R. Albro Newton
Sec. — Augustus E. Wright
Treas. — Samuel F. Draper
Francis W. Newton
Charles T. Crook Jr.

R. Albro Newton
2-17-16

Workingmens Compensation Agent Appointed

To Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Selectmen held Feb. 18, 1916 Thomas E. Waldron was appointed Workingmens Compensation Agent under Chapter 244, Acts of 1915

Yours truly
Chas. H. Newton
Clerk of Bd of Selectmen

Mr. Waldron notified by letter
C. H. N.

Southborough Feb. 18 1916

Approved Mar. 7 by F. W. Rane
C. F. W. D. C.

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day Harry Burnett was nominated and appointed Forest Warden and local road superintendent for the ensuing year subject to approval of State Fire Warden.

Yours very truly
Charles H. Newton
Clerk

State Forester notified by letter as above
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

5670

Southborough Feb. 18, 1916

To Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following Election Officers were appointed to serve at the Annual Town Meeting Monday March 6, 1916.

Timothy Bagley
William H. Cuthbert
Andrew R. Sullivan
Adoniram J. Newton
James M. Stockwell
Howard R. Lincoln
Samuel Draper
De Clinton Nichols

You will also notify Constables Hildreth and Chase to be present at the Polling place.

Yours very truly
Chas. H. Newton
Clerk of Selectmen

All the above appointees notified by letter.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Annual March Meeting Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on,

Monday, March 6, Next

at Seven of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to take action on the following articles, viz:

Article 1.— To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Article 2.— To choose all necessary Town Officers and Committees.

Article 3— The votes for Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, Selectmen, Assessor, Overseer of the Poor, School Committee, Town House Committee, Cemetery Commissioner, Trustees of the Fay Library, Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden, Constables, and one member of the Board of Health to be on one ballot.

The following officers to be chosen by ballot: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Selectman for three years, one member of the School Committee for three years, one overseer of the Poor for three years, Tree Warden,

Highway Surveyor, three members of the Town House Committee, one member of the Cemetery Commission for three years, one Member of the Board of Health for three years, two trustees of the Day Library and Constables.

The polls will open at 7 O'Clock in the forenoon for the election of officers to be chosen by ballot and may be closed at 2.30 O'Clock in the afternoon of said day. All other articles to be considered and business to come before the meeting will be taken up at 8.30 O'Clock in the forenoon of said day.

Article 4.- To vote by ballot, yes or no, on granting license for the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Article 5- To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the legitimate use of the Town and make appropriations of the same.

Article 6- To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and do, or act thereon.

Article 7- To determine the manner of collecting the taxes for the ensuing year, or do or act thereon.

Article 8- To see if the Town will authorize its Collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed collector.

Article 9 – To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the town's use, and pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 10 – To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog money, or do or act thereon.

Article 11 – To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the Town, and to prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town.

Article 12 – To see what action the Town will take to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors, or do or act thereon.

Article 13 – To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, for defraying the expenses of Memorial day, and repairing and decorating soldiers' graves.

Article 14 – To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifty dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 25, Sec. 15 of the Revised Laws, or do or act thereon.

Article 15 – To see if the Town will authorize the Library Committee to distribute books to any of the villages in said Town, each year hereafter, until further action of the Town, and to

contribute such sums of money therefor, or do, or act thereon.

Article 16 – To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General Court, as may be necessary to protect the interests of the Town, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 17 – To see what action the Town will take regarding a new lockup, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 18 – To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars to pay salaries of Town officers and Committees for year 1915, or do or act thereon.

Article 19 – To see if the Town will provide for the care of the Town Building in Dayville, or do or act thereon.

Article 20 – To see what action the Town will take regarding Play Grounds, or do or act thereon.

Article 21 – To see if the Town will waive its claim for compensation for use of the Town Hall one evening in each week, during the current year, to said Company.

Article 22 – To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of Money to install a ventilator in the

Fayville Hall building or passing vote respecting the same.

Article 23 — To see if the Town will establish the salary of the Highway Surveyor, or do or act thereon.

Article 24 — To see if the Town will vote to extend the side-walk on Newton Street and appropriate a sum of money for the same, or do or act thereon.

Article 25 — To see if the Town will vote to build a Granolithic sidewalk from the Fayville Station to Turnpike Road, and appropriate a sum of money for the same, or do or act thereon.

Article 26 — To see if the Town will take any action regarding repairs on the old road leading from Oak Hill Road to the house of G. E. Walker, or do or act thereon.

Article 27 — To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for repairing the Town House, or do or act thereon.

Article 28 — To see if the Town will vote, that none but Citizens of the Town of Southborough hold any office in the Town, unless it is found that no citizen is capable or willing to hold a particular office.

Article 29 — To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars for repairing the sidewalk

between the Southville Post Office and the Cordaville Post Office, or do or act thereon

Article 30 - To see if the Town will instruct the Highway Surveyor to widen certain Portions of Pine Hill road, or do or act thereon.

Article 31 - To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to provide for the Town's proportion of the expense of building a State road as surveyed from a point near St. Anne's Church to meet the State road near the house of Bartholomew O'Shea, or do or act thereon.

And you are to give notice hereof by posting up true and attested copies of this warrant at the Town Hall, Depots, Post Offices and three other public and convenient places in said Town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publication in the Southborough Chronotype, a newspaper published in said town.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this seventeenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

Raymond H. Overson
Lyman Hollensby
Francis D. Newton
Selectmen of
Southborough

Southborough March 6. 1916.

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting up true and attested copies at the Town Hall, Depot, Post Offices and three other public and convenient places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting and by causing to be published in the Southborough Chronotype.

Charles E. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
and Officers return thereon,
Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Annual March Meeting 1916.

In accordance with the preceding warrant the legal voters of the Town of Southborough met at the Town Hall at seven o'clock in the forenoon of March 6th.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk, who read the call, articles that call for action under under the Election of Officers, and the Constables return of the Warrant the meeting voting to dispense with reading articles 5 to 31 inclusive.

The Ballot-Clerks and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen consisting of

Timothy Bagley — James M. Stockwell
William H. Oulthank — Howard R. Lincoln
Adoniram J. Newton — Samuel Drake
Andrew R. Sullivan — De Clinton Nichols

were at the Polling place ready to be assigned as needed.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exchit from the Polls, and under

Article 1. Chose Raymond H. Preston Moderator by ballot.

An attested check list was delivered to the Ballot Clerks and another to the checkers at the Ballot Box

A package supposed to contain 500 Official Ballots, also one containing 100 Official Ballots (for School Committee only) was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Moderator and his receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was opened by a Constable and publicly shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked by Constable Hildreth who

retained the key
The register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 0 0

The Moderator declared the Polls open at Seven o'clock A. M.

Article 5 Voted, by a rising vote, forty one in favor none against to raise the sum of $57,630.00 Fifty-seven thousand six hundred and thirty dollars, and that the same be assessed upon the estates within the town, to pay town debts and charges (and that the Assessors deduct all anticipated revenue before the tax rate is established.) To be appropriated as follows:-

Voted to appropriate for General Government

Selectmen Six hundred dollars	$600.00
Advisory Com.	75.00
Town Accountant	225.00
Treasurer	350.00
Collector	285.00
Assessors	455.00
Other Finance Offices	10.00
Law	500.00
Town Clerk	200.00
Election & Registration	300.00
Town House	700.00
	$3700.00

Voted, to appropriate for protection of life and property

Police	$400.00
Fire Department	1200.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	75.00
Tree Warden	250.00
Gypsy & Brown Tail Moth	3000.00
	$4925.00

Voted to appropriate for
Health & Sanitation

Health	$ 300.00
Inspection of Animals	200.00
	$ 500.00

Voted to appropriate for
Highways

(See Art 27) General Expense (including excise tax an amount equal to)	$ 7000.00
Street Lights	4725.00
	$ 11725.00

Voted to appropriate for Charities
and Soldiers Benefits

Poor Department	2500.00
State Aid & Soldiers Relief	1150.00
	3650.00

Voted to appropriate for
Education and Libraries

Schools	$ 17000.00
School Nurse	50.00
Library & Extensions	1750.00
Trade School	500.00
Repairs	1000.00
	$ 20,300.00

Voted to appropriate for
Recreation & Unclassified

Reserve Fund	$ 3000.00
(See Art 20) Play Grounds	200.00
Care & Swimming Pool	100.00
Common & Town House grounds	150.00
Memorial Day	100.00
G. A. R. Relief	50.00
Printing Town Reports	200.00
(See Art 19) Hayville Buildings	300.00
	$ 4100.00

Voted to appropriate for
Enterprises + Cemeteries
Cemeteries 1200.00
$1200.00

Voted to appropriate
For Interest on notes $1100.00
Retirement 2 notes 2000.00
Retirement 2 bonds 2000.00
5100.00

Voted to appropriate for
Unpaid Salaries for year 1915 $2430.00

Article 6 The reports of the various Town Officers were acted upon and accepted.
Committee on signs for Streets made a verbal report which was accepted.
The Accountants Report was accepted as printed.

Article 7 Voted that the Collector proceed in legal manner as covered by Statute.

Article 8 Voted to authorize the Collector to use all means for collecting the Taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Article 9 Voted: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1916, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year. (Voted that may

be borrowed not to exceed $35,000.
By a rising vote 38 in favor none against.

Article 10 Voted, the dog money to the Treasury, and that the Schools + Library each be allowed an amount equal to one half the actual amount received by the Treasury.

Article 11 Voted, to authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the Town, and to prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town.

Article 12 Voted to leave the suppression of the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors in the hands of the Selectmen.

Article 13 Voted to appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic for defraying the expenses of Memorial day, and repairing and decorating soldier's graves.

Article 14 Voted, to appropriate the sum of fifty dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 25, Section 15, of the Revised Laws, ~~or do or act thereon~~.

Article 15 Voted, to authorize the Library Committee to distribute books in the villages of the Town, each year hereafter, until further action of the Town, and to contribute sums of money therefor;

Article 16 Voted, to authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General

Court, as may be necessary to protect the interests of the Town.

Article 17 Voted to postpone any action regarding a new lockup.

Article 18 Postpone, to be voted under appropriations

Article 19 Voted, To appropriate $300.00 for the care of the Town Building in Haydenville, under a Committee of three to be appointed by the Chair.

Chair appointed { Josiah True, Samuel D. Draper, Francis Wright

(See Appropriations)

Article 20 Voted to appropriate $200.00 for Play Grounds for Children and Adults and that a Committee of three representing different parts of the Town be appointed by the Moderator.

Moderator appointed { Seth H. Howes, ~~Josiah True~~, Douglas J. Ahearn, Andrew Sullivan

(See Appropriations)

Notified Apr. 21, 1916.

Article 21 Voted, That the Town waive its claim for compensation for use of the Town Hall for the Boys Military Company, and grant the free use of the Town Hall one evening in each week, during the current year, to said Company.

Article 22 Voted, Pass the article as it is cared for under appropriations

Art 23 Voted, That the salary of the Highway Surveyor for 1916 and until otherwise voted be $5.00 per day for each day he actually works till July 1st, and

an Annual Salary of $150.00 for general supervision.

Article 24 Voted, to pass the article.

Article 25 Voted, to pass the article.

Article 26 Referred to next Town Meeting, same Committee to be Continued.
(Mr. Ring reported that all but one of the abutters will release any claims for damages should the Town decide to repair or rebuild.) (and that one stated in open meeting that he would release any claim for land damage.)

Article 27 Voted, to appropriate $700.00 for care and maintenance of Town Hall building.
$250.00 of the above amount for repairs and building stairs such as required by the State Inspector.

Article 28 Voted, to pass this article.

Article 29 Voted to appropriate the sum of $200.00 for repairing the Sidewalk between the Southville Post Office and the Cordaville Post Office, and that the Highway Surveyor be ordered to do this work, money to be taken from Highway appropriation.

Article 30 Voted, to instruct the Highway Surveyor to widen certain portions of Pine Hill road Money to be taken from Highway appropriation

Article 31 Voted to refer to next Town Meeting.

Voted no further action be taken on any articles in the Warrant except those that deal with the election of Officers.

Voted that the Polls be closed at 3.30
Moderator closed the Polls at 3.30
At 12-M. voted that further consideration of
articles be postponed till 1-15 except that
the polls be kept open for voting.
At 1-15 the meeting came to order
At shortly after 2 o'clock all being
agreed the counting of the ballots
cast was begun.
When the Polls were closed the
the Ballot Box Register showed [0]314[9]
There were 315 ballots cast by males
" " 24 " " " females
Check Lists each showed the names
of 315 male and 24 female voters
checked as having voted.

The ballots were counted as required by law and public declaration made as follows:

Art 2-3 For Town Clerk
S. 3/6 moderator } John H. Wakley had ninety-four votes
Charles H. Hewston had two hundred sixteen votes
14 blanks.

For Town Treasurer
S-3-11 Thomas E. Waldron had two hundred seventy-five votes
46 blanks

For Collector of Taxes
S-5-3 Charles L. Fairbanks had two hundred sixty-five votes
60 blanks

For Selectman for three years (144)
Charles L. Fairbanks had one hundred forty-four votes
S-3-10 Lyman Tollensby had one hundred and seventy (170)
10 blanks

For Assessor for three years

S-3-29 Edmund A. Hyde had two hundred fifty-seven votes
6 blanks

For Overseer of the Poor for three years

S-3-29 Edmund A. Hyde had two hundred forty-seven votes
77 blanks

For School Committee for three years

S-3-10 Samuel Clark had two hundred ten votes
Harry A. McMaster had one hundred twenty seven
11 blanks

For Town House Committee

John J. Flannery had two hundred forty-five
Charles C. Miesner had two hundred forty-six
S-4-25 DeClinton Nichols had two hundred fifty five
206 blanks

For Cemetery Commissioner for 3 years

Charles C. Miesner had one hundred and thirty-seven votes.
Francis D. Newton had one hundred and seventy-eight votes
17 blanks

For Constables

S-3-6. Edward C. Chase had two hundred and siso votes.
William Duncan had one hundred and Eighty-siso votes.
S-3-10 Lyman Hollensby had one hundred and ninety-one votes.
S-3-6. Charles C. Hildreth had one hundred and ninety-one votes.
S-3-10 Thomas H. McDonald had one hundred and eighty four votes.
S-4-1 Francis D. Newton had one hundred and eighty-eight votes.
798 blanks

For Highway Surveyor
Dearborn J. Butler had one hundred and thirty votes
S-3-7 William A. Gould had one hundred and Eighty-one votes
13 blanks.

For Grey Warden
Harry Burnett had two hundred and eight votes
Albert E. Hutt had ninety-seven votes.
11 blanks

For Library Trustees.
S. 4-19 Patrick H. Boland had two hundred twenty-Eight votes
Paul L. Lincoln had two hundred forty-seven votes
174 blanks

For Board of Health three years
Charles F. Choate Jr. had two hundred fifty-eight votes
66 blanks

For Advisory Committee three years
Charles F. Leland had two hundred thirty-seven votes
Andrew R. Sullivan had two hundred thirty-six votes
175 blanks

The following officers were elected by nomination from the floor.

Measurers of Wood and Bark
Paul L. Lincoln S-4-25 Dr Clinton Nichols
S-3-18 Irving Smith Marcus Jackson
S-3-8 Charles E. Watkins

Surveyors of Lumber
C. L. Parmenter Dr C. Nichols.

Public Weighers
Francis Wright S-4-25 Dr Clinton Nichols
Harry W. Young John Sealey S-3-15
Herbert Jones

Field Drivers
George H. Burnett Frederick C. Staples
Frank Dunn.

Pound Keeper
S-3-25 Henry Newton

Fence Viewers
S-3-10 Lyman Tollensby Raymond H. Aveson
S-3-30 Thomas P. Lindsay Charles F. Leland
S-4-25 J. D. Cameron Bradley

Article 4 For License to sell intoxicating liquors
Yes 95
No 196
Blanks 33

After the announcement was made, the tally sheets and ballots used were tied in packages, properly signed and sealed as by law required, and it was voted to dissolve the meeting.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Selectmens Office
Southboro Mass. May 17, 1916

To Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following appointments were made:

Charles H. Newton — Clerk of Selectmen

Samuel F. Draper — Burial Agent

James Stockwell
Augustus E. Wright
De Clinton Nichols
John Sealey
S'9/11 Edward Nichols
} Weighers of Coal

William Smiddy
Fred M. Dole
} Special Police without pay for the protection of the Waters of the Met. Water & Sewerage Board in the Town of Southborough

Marcus D. Jackson
John J. Burnett
Michael R. Maley
S-3-24 Willard C. Simpson
} Special Police without pay.

Albert E. Hutt
Charles C. Hildreth
Charles Jones
James B. Johnson
Parker Whenon
} Fire Wardens.

S-3-24 Willard C. Simpson — Sealer of Weights & Measures

Irving Smith — { Registrar of Voters for three years

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Josiah True
Samuel T. Draper
Francis Wright
} See Town Meeting Records

84-8 William H. Authank, Inspector of Animals.

Yours very truly
Chas. H. Newton
Clerk Board of Selectmen.

Southboro April 7 1916

To Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day, the following appointments were made;

James Stockwell, Public Weigher

Timothy Bagley, Andrew R. Sullivan, Adoniram J. Newton, William H. Outhank } Primary Election

Harry A. McMaster, Henry M. Rogers } Officers

Eugene P. Bent — Fire Warden, Southville

Edward C. Chase — Dog Officer.

Yours truly
Selectmen by
Chas H. Newton
Clerk

Southboro April 17 1916.

All of the above appointees were notified by letter.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough Apr. 21, 1916.

To
Chas. H. Newton, Town Clerk
Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following vote was passed:

Voted, that the Salary of the Sealer of Weights and Measures be $75.00 per annum and that he be allowed the sum of $25.00 for travel and other expenses.

Selectmen
by Chas. H. Newton
Clerk

See provision of Chapter 452, Acts of 1914.

A true copy,
Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Duplicate mailed
to Town Accountant.
C. H. N.

Primary Warrant April 1916

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester S.S.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in

The Town House in said Southborough

Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of April, 1916 at 7.30 O'clock P.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

4 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Republican Party

4 Alternate Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Republican Party

4 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party

4 Alternate Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party

8 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Prohibition Party

8 Alternate Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Prohibition Party

2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party 13th Cong. Dist.

2 Alternate Dist. Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party 13th Cong Dist.

2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party 13th Cong. Dist.

2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party 13th Congressional Dist.

1 District Delegate to the National Convention of the Prohibition Party 13th Congressional Dist.

1 alternate District Delegate to the National
Convention of the Prohibition Party
13th Congressional Dist.

All the above candedates and officers are to be voted for upon one balloh.

The Polls will be open from 7.30 to 9.30 o'clock P. M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this seventh day of April, A.D. 1916.

Raymond H. Pierson
Lyman Tollensby
Francis D. Newton
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy,
Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough April 20th 1916.

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy.
Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election April 25, 1916.

In accordance with the preceding warrant the voters of Southborough qualified to vote in primaries met in the Town Hall at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening, Francis D. Newton as Presiding Election Officer, read the Warrant and the Constables return thereon.

The Election Officers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of Timothy Bagley, Andrew R. Sullivan, Adonijah J. Newton, William H. Outhank, Harry A. McMaster and Henry M. Rogers, were qualified by the Presiding Officer, Two were stationed at the Ballot Table Check list, two at the Ballot Box check list and two at the Ballot Box.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, it was then locked, the key being kept by Constable Hildreth, The Register on the Ballot Box showed [0|0|0|0]

Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to to the Election Officers and their receipt taken therefor.

Officers were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the Polls, at 7-30 the polls were declared open, at 9-30 they were declared closed, having been kept open at least two hours.

At the Ballot Clerks table the names of seventy-five voters were checked as having received ballots, and seventy-five names of voters were checked as having deposited ballots in the Ballot Box, The Register on the Ballot Box showed [0|0|7|8]

There were seventy-five ballots taken from the Ballot Box by the Presiding Election Officer, 63 Republican, 6 Democratic 6 Defective and No Prohibition.

The counting proceeded as by law directed, and public declaration made as completed.

Republican Candidates

Delegates at large Group 1.	Grafton D. Cushing	had 22	votes
	Charles Sumner Bird	had 22	votes
	Augustus P. Gardner	had 23	votes
	Robert M. Washburn	had 20	votes
Delegates at large Group 2.	Samuel W. McCall	had 44	votes
	Henry Cabot Lodge	had 42	votes
	John W. Weeks	had 37	votes
	Winthrop M. Crane	had 37	votes

5 blanks

Alternate Delegates at large Group 1.	Alexander McGregor	had 19	votes
	Lombard Williams	had 19	votes
	Daniel Cosgrove	had 17	votes
	William M. Armstrong	had 17	votes
Alternate Delegates at large Group 2.	Butler Ames	had 37	votes
	Louis A. Frothingham	had 38	votes
	Eben S. S. Keith	had 37	votes
	Frank W. Stearns	had 35	votes

33 blanks

District Delegates- 13th district Group 1.	J. Randolph Coolidge Jr.	had 25	votes
	Frank H. Hales	had 28	votes
District Delegates 13th District Group 2.	George H. Doty	had 27	votes
	Martin Hays	had 27	votes

24 blanks

Alternate District Delegates 13th District Group 1.	E. Mark Sullivan	had 17 votes
	Clifford S. Cobb	had 17 votes
Alternate District Delegates 13th District Group 2.	Llewellyn E. Pulsifer	had 34 votes
	Fred H. Williams	had 34 votes
	24 blanks	

Democratic Candidates.

Delegates at large	David I. Walsh	had 6 votes
	Joseph H. O'Neil	had 6 votes
	Humphrey O'Sullivan	had 6 votes
	Charles B. Strecker	had 6 votes
	No blanks	

Alternate Delegates at large	H. Oscar Rocheleau	had 6 votes
	Edmund D. Codman	had 6 votes
	Vincent Brogna	had 6 votes
	Thomas F. Higgins	had 6 votes
	No blanks	

District Delegates 13th Dist.	John J. Prindiville	had 6 votes
	James J. Harold	had 5 votes
	Francis B. McKinney	had 1 vote
	No blanks	

Alternate District Delegates 13th Dist	Thomas E. O'Donnell	had 6 votes
	Thomas E. O'Brien	had 6 votes
	No blanks	

The Ballots cast were sealed in packages, the tally sheets signed, and the Primary Election was voted dissolved.

Charles H. Denton
Town Clerk

Special Police on Sears Place

Southborough May 19, 1916

To
Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk.
Dear Sir:-
At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day, Patrick McKernan of Marlboro, Mass, was appointed special police on Sears place. without pay.

Yours truly,
Selectmen of Southboro
by C. H. N. Clerk

Southboro May 19, 1916
Personally appeared before me Patrick McKernan who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties as above appointed.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Juror List 1916

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester SS. Town of Southborough June 16, 1916.

In accordance with Chapter 176 of the Revised Laws and the Amendments thereto, We, the Selectmen of the Town of Southborough in said County, have prepared the following list of names of inhabitants of said town to serve as jurors:-

Name	Occupation	Post office	Residence Southboro
Bontilier, George F.	Mill Operative	Southville	Southville Rd
Brewer, Walter B.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Road
Burnett, George H.	Merchant	Southboro	Deerfoot Rd.
Burnett, John J.	Manufacturer	Southboro	Main Street
Clark, Samuel F.	Farmer	Southville	Parkerville Rd.
Draper, Allen H.	Carpenter	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.
Eaton, Harris D.	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Road
Follensby, Lyman	Farmer	Cordaville	Woodland Road
Field, George F.	Merchant	Southboro	Clifford St.
Hildreth, Charles C.	Carpenter	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.
Hosmer, Aaron W.	Dairyman	Southboro	Marlboro Rd.
Howard, Herbert B.	Apothecary	Southboro	Main Street
Hyde, Albert F.	Janitor	Southboro	Main Street
Hyde, Frank L.	Shoemaker	Southville	Parkerville Rd.
Leland, Charles F.	Farmer	Southboro	Main Street
Lincoln, Harry R.	Farmer	Westboro R.F.D.	Turnpike Rd.
McDonald, Thomas A.	Laborer	Southboro	Middle Road
McEvoy, Michael	Foreman	Southboro	Sears Road
McMaster, Harry A.	Salesman	Southboro	Deliquency Rd.
Mitchell, Howard J.	Painter	Southboro	Lyman St.
Sleeper, Heber C.	Farmer	Southville	Middle Road
Tufts, Charles C.	Retired	Southville	Wood Street
Ward, Ellwood W.	Decorator	Southboro	Cordaville Rd.

Selectmen of Southborough
Raymond H. Pierson
Lyman Follensby
Francis D. Newton

A true Copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough July 21 1916

At a Meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day Parker Kilman was appointed a Weigher of Coal.

Charles H. Newton
Clerk of Board

Southborough July 22 1916

The above named Parker Kilman made oath this day to the faithful performance of the duties of a Weigher of Coal.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk.

State Primary Warrant Sept. 26, 1916.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester S.S.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town House of said Southborough

Tuesday, the 26th Day of September
1916, at 7.00 O'clock, P.M.

for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant-Governor " "
Secretary of the Commonwealth " "
Treasurer and Receiver General " "
Auditor of the Commonwealth " "
Attorney-General " "
Senator in Congress " "
Representative in Congress for the 13th Congressional District
Councillor for the 7th Councillor District
Senator for the [illegible] Senatorial District
Two Representatives in General Court for the 9th Representative District
County Commissioner for Worcester County.
Two Associate Commissioners for Worcester County.
District Attorney for Worcester Dist.
Clerk of the Courts for Worcester County
Register of Deeds for Worcester County

and for the Election of the following officers:
District member of State Committee for each political party for the 4th Senatorial District

Five members of the Democratic Town Committee
Five members of the Republican Town Committee
Five members of the Prohibition Town Committee
Delegates to state Conventions of political parties.
All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot
The polls will be open from seven to nine P.M.
And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof ten days at least before the time ~~set~~ of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this first day of September, A.D. 1916.

Raymond H. Dresser
Lyman Tollensby
Francis D. Newton
} Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Sept. 26. 1916

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies thereof ten days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Charles E. Hildreth
Constable
of Southborough

A true Copy,
Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election September 26, 1916.

In accordance with the preceeding Warrant the voters of Southborough qualified to vote in Primaries met in the Town Hall at seven o'clock in the evening of September 26th The Town Clerk acting for the Presiding Election Officer read the Warrand and the Constables return of service thereon.

The election officers previously appointed by the Selectmen consisting of Andrew Sullivan, A. J. Newton Harry Mc Master, Timothy Bagley, Herbert W. Jones, William H Cuthbank, Allan H. Draper and [illegible] J O'Neill, were qualified by the Town Clerk. Two were stationed at the Ballot Box Check list, Two at the Ballot Box Check list, One at the Ballot Box and the remainder acting as substitutes.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty. Lyman Tolman by as Presiding Officer then ordered Constable Hildreth to close and lock it, and retain the key

The Register on the Ballot Box showed

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Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

Officers were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the Polls, At seven O'clock the polls were declared open, at nine O'clock they were closed, having been kept open at least two hours

At the Ballot Clerks table sixty-four names of voters were checked as having received ballots, and sixty-four names of voters were checked as having deposited ballots in the Ballot Box.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed of

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There were sixty four ballots taken from the Ballot box by the Presiding Election Officer.

2 Defective
No Prohibition
21 Democratic
41 Republican
64 Total

The counting proceeded as by law directed, and public declaration made as follows:

Republican Candidates

For Governor — Samuel W. McCall of Myopia Rd Winchester
had forty-one votes
No blanks

For Lieut. Gov. — Calvin Coolidge of 21 Massasoit St., Northampton
had forty-one votes
No blanks

For Secretary — Albert P. Langtry of 140 Chestnut St., Springfield
had forty-one votes
No blanks

For Treasurer — Charles L. Burrill of 14 Somerset St., Boston
had forty-one votes
No blanks

For Auditor — Joseph B. Brown of 44 Dwight St., Brookline
had fifteen votes

Alonzo B. Cook of 19 Parkview St. Boston
had twenty-five votes
1 blank

For Atty. Genl. — Henry C. Attwill of 59 Ocean Ave., Lynn
had forty votes
1 blank

For Senator in Congress — Henry Cabot Lodge — of Nahant — had 41 votes

For Congressman 13th Dist — William H. Carter — of 110 Greendale Ave. Needham — had 41 votes

For Councillor 9th Dist — Channing Smith — of Brown St. Leicester — had 40 votes — 1 blank

For Senator 4th Worc. Dist — Frank J. Giblin — of 20 Grove St. Westborough — had 21 votes

George Fred Hart — of 17 Negus St. Webster — had 8 votes

Edwin F. Lilley — of 52 Congress St. Milford — had 11 votes — 1 blank

For two Representatives in Genl. Court — Arthur W. Frail — of Nelson St. Upton — had 37 votes

Francis Prescott — of Old Upton Rd. Grafton — had 38 votes — 7 blanks

For County Commissioner Worcester — George W. Cook — of South St. Barre — had 40 votes — 1 blank

For two Asso. Commissioners — F L. Newton — had one vote

R.A. Newton — had one vote — 80 blanks

For Dist Attorney Middle Dist — Edward D. Ely — had 41 votes

For Clerk of Courts Worcester — Theodore L. Johnson — of 8 Bowdoin St. Worcester — had 41 votes

For Register of Deeds — Daniel Kent — of 653 Main St. Worcester — had 41 votes

For State Committee 4th Worc. Dist. — Stanley H. Wheelock of North Main St. Rochdale
had 28 votes
3 blanks

For Delegates to State Con. — Augustus E. Wright of Turnpike Rd
had 31 votes
Francis D. Newton of Central St.
had 31 votes
20 blanks

For Town Committee five Members — Samuel D. Draper of Turnpike Rd.
had 34 votes
Charles F. Choate Jr. of Main St.
had 34 votes
Francis D. Newton of Central St.
had 34 votes
Augustus E. Wright of Turnpike Rd
had 34 votes
Robert A. Newton of Main St.
had 34 votes
35 blanks

Democratic Candidates

For Governor — Charles H. Cole of 217 Commonwealth Ave. Boston
had 7 votes
Frederick W. Mansfield of 15 Elm Hill Ave. Boston
had 13 votes
1 blank

For Lieut Gov. — Thomas P. Riley of 11 Wentworth St. Malden
had 17 votes
4 blanks

For Secretary — Leon R. Eyges of 51 Maples Rd. Brookline
had 19 votes
2 blanks

For Treasurer	Henry N. Teague	of Main St. Williamstown had 18 votes 3 blanks
For Auditor	John B.N. Soulliere	of 36 Merrimac St. Worcester had 17 votes 4 blanks
For Attorney General	Joseph Joyce Donahue	of 47 Court St. Medford had 18 votes 3 blanks
For Senator in Congress	John F. Fitzgerald	of 39 Welles Avenue, Boston had 15 votes 6 blanks
For Congressman 5th dist	William H. Murphy	of 100 West Main St., Marlborough had 17 votes 4 blanks
For Councillor 7th Dist		21 blanks
For Senator 4th Worc Dist		21 blanks
For two Representatives in General Court	William A. Murray	of 15 Glenwood Ave., Milford had 16 votes
	John J. Sheehan	of 32 High St. Westborough had 15 votes 11 blanks
For County Commissioner Worcester	Harvey Page	had 1 vote 20 blanks
For Asst. Commissioner		21 blanks

For Dist Atty — John M. Thayer — of 44 Harvard St., Worcester
had 17 votes
4 blanks

For Clerk of Courts
21 blanks

For Register of Deeds
21 blanks

For State Committee 4th Worc. — John Welch
had 1 vote
20 blanks

For State Com. — John E. Welch — of Southville Rd
had 14 votes
7 blanks

For Town Committee
John E. Welch — of Southville Rd
had 12 votes
Daniel F. Harrington — of Southville Rd
had 13 votes
Seth H. Howes — of East-Main St.
had 13 votes
Charles E. Bagley — of School St.
had 14 votes
P. M. Salmon
had 1 vote

The ballots cast were sealed in packages, the tally sheets signed, and the Primary Election voted dissolved.

Charles F. Newton
Town Clerk

Warrant for November Election 1916

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough. Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Tuesday, the 7th Day of November next,

at 6.30 o'clock, A.M.

Then and there to bring in their votes to the Selectmen for:

Presidential Electors, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Senator in Congress, Congressman, Councillor, Senator, Two Representatives in General Court, County Commissioner, District Attorney, Clerk of Courts, Register of Deeds, and to vote "Yes" or "No" on the following questions:

Acceptance of Chap 98, General Acts of 1916, entitled, "An Act to ascertain and carry out the will of the people relative to the calling and holding of a constitutional convention."

Acceptance of Chap. 104, General Acts of 1916, entitled, "An act to make the first day of January, known as New Year's Day, a legal holiday."

Acceptance of Chap. 179, General Acts of 1916, entitled, "An act to prevent the voters of one political party from voting in the primaries of another political party."

Question of Public Policy under Chap. 819, Acts of 1913. "Shall the Representative or Representatives from this district be instructed to support the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, providing for some form

of the initiative and referendum which shall give to the voters the power to accept or reject statutes and Constitutional amendments proposed to the legislature by petition of a substantial number of citizens but rejected by it, and also the power, upon such petition, to reject measures passed by the Legislature."

The votes for Presidential Election, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Senator in Congress, Congressman, Councillor, Senator, Two Representatives in General Court, County Commissioner, District Attorney, Clerk of Courts, Register of Deeds, and the questions to be answered by "Yes" or "No" to be on one ballot.

The Polls will be opened at six-thirty of the clock in the forenoon and may be closed at three-thirty of the clock in the afternoon of said day.

And you are to give notice hereof, by posting up true and attested copies of this warrant at the Town Hall, Westboro, Post Offices and three other Public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southborough Chronotype.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Selectmen at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twentieth day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

Raymond H. Dresser
Francis D. Newton
Lyman Tollenby
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Nov. 7, 1916.

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting up true and attested copies of this

Warrant at the Town Hall, Depots, Post Offices,
and three other and conspicuous places in said
Town seven days at least before the time set
for said meeting and have caused the same to
be published in the Southborough Chronotype

Charles C. Fiedrich
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
and Officers return,

Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

November Election 1916

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough, Met at the time and place and for the purpose therein mentioned.

The Meeting was called to order by Raymond H. Overon chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who read the Warrant and the officers return thereon.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers who had been previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of

Timothy Bagley Harry A. McMorter William J. O'Neil
Andrew R. Sullivan William H. Outhank Henry M. Rogers, and
Herbert W. Jones Allan H. Draper Adoniram J. Newton,

appeared before Presiding Officer Overon, and were duly qualified.

A package supposed to contain 550 Official Ballots was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt Taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked by Constable Hildreth who retained the key.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers were stationed at their respective tables with their check lists, Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the polling place, and at 6-30 A.M. the Polls were declared open for ballots.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed 0000

At nine o'clock in the forenoon it was voted, the Selectmen, Town Clerk, and all the Election officers being agreeable, that ballots be taken from the Ballot Box in order that counting might commence.

At 9.00 A.M.	100	Ballots taken out
At 2.00 P.M.	50	Ballots taken out
At 2,35 P.M	50	Ballots taken out
At 3,45 P.M.	171	Ballots taken out

At 3.00 P.M. it was voted to close the Polls at 3.45 P.M. The Presiding Officer declared the Polls closed at 3.45.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed 0371

The Ballot Clerks Check list showed 371 names of voters checked as having been given ballots.

The Ballot Box Clerks check list showed the

Names of 371 voters checked as having deposited their ballots

When the counting of the ballots cast was completed as required by law public declaration was made thereof and was as follows:

For Presidential Electors at large,

Socialist	Louis B. Weiss of Worcester	had one vote	1
	Howard A. Gibbs of Attleboro	had one vote	1
Prohibition	William Shaw of Andover	had one vote	1
	John B. Lewis of Reading	had one vote	1
Republican	George V. L. Meyer of Hamilton	had two hundred and nine votes	209
	Edward A. Thurston of Fall River	had two hundred and nine votes	209
Socialist Labor	Oscar Kinnear of Lynn	had no votes	0
	Ingvar Paulsen of Boston	had No votes	0
Democratic	David A. Walsh of Fitchburg	had one hundred and thirty-nine votes	139
	Sherman L. Whipple of Brookline	had one hundred and thirty-nine votes	139

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District No. 1,

S.	Reuben S. Clark of Greenfield	had one vote	1
P.	Oliver L. Bartlett of Pittsfield	had one vote	1
R.	Kelton B. Milley of Pittsfield	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S. L.	Henry Noffke of Holyoke	had no votes	0
D.	Harry A. Garfield of Williamstown	had one hundred thirty nine votes	139

blanks 21

District No. 2.

S.	Samuel M. Jones of Springfield	had one vote	1
P.	William S. Rogers of Wilbraham	had one vote	1
R.	Gordon W. Gordon of Springfield	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S. L.	Daniel S. Carr of West Springfield	had no votes	0
D.	Thomas F. Harrington of Springfield	had one hundred thirty nine votes	139

blanks 21

District No. 3.

S.	Victor Annala of Fitchburg	had one vote	1
P.	Albert C. Brown of Fitchburg	had one vote	1
R.	George R. Wallace of Fitchburg	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S. L.	John A. Anderson of Gardner	had no votes	0
D.	Marcus C. Coolidge of Fitchburg	had one hundred thirty nine votes	139

blanks 21

District No. 4.

S	James Cronin of Worcester	had one vote	1
P.	William W. Wash of Westborough	had one vote	1
R.	Webster Thayer of Worcester	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.Z.	William Taylor of Worcester	had no votes	0
D.	H. Oscar Rocheleau of Worcester	had one hundred thirty-nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 5.

S	William A. Chase of Lowell	had one vote	1
P.	Charles W. Leach of Stow	had one vote	1
R.	Herbert E. Fletcher of Westford	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.Z.	John McKinnon of Lowell	had no votes	0
D.	Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lowell	had one hundred thirty-nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 6.

S.	Ralph E. Gardner of Haverhill	had one vote	1
P.	John E. Peterson of Gloucester	had one vote	1
R.	Isaac Patch of Gloucester	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.Z.	Jeremiah P. McNally of Salem	had no votes	0
D.	Charles F. Rogers of Salem	had one hundred thirty nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 7.

S	Archibald H. Adamson of Methuen	had one vote	1
P.	Wilbur D. Moore of Lynn	had one vote	1
R.	Charles Cabot Johnson of Nahant	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.Z.	Ezekiel Hamburger of Lynn	had no votes	0
D.	Simeon Leger of Lawrence	had one hundred thirty nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 8.

S.	John S. Young of Cambridge	had one vote	1
P.	Stuart B. Remick of Melrose	had one vote	1
R.	Arthur Beach of Winchester	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.Z.	Fredrick Roberts of Medford	had no votes	0
D.	Eugene Wamburgh of Cambridge	had one hundred thirty nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 9.

S	William Lantorn of Somerville	had one vote	1
P.	William G. Merrill of Malden	had one vote	1
R.	Charles Bruce of Everett	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.L.	Andrew Mortenson of Somerville	had no votes	0
D.	Marcus Beebe of Malden	had one hundred thirty-nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 10.

S.	John J. McEttrick of Boston	had one vote	1
P.	Franklin S. Sprague of Boston	had one vote	1
R.	Joseph B. Maccabe of Boston	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.L.	Paul E. Anderton of Boston	had no votes	0
D.	William Taylor of Boston	had one hundred thirty-nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 11

S	Moses L. Konikow of Boston	had one vote	1
P.	Ked Baker of Boston	had one vote	1
R.	Grafton D. Cushing of Boston	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.L.	Henry C. Hess of Boston	had no votes	0
D.	Josiah Quincy of Boston	had one hundred thirty-nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 12

S	Louis Marcus of Boston	had one vote	1
P.	Solon W. Bingham of Boston	had one vote	1
R.	George D. Crowley of Boston	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.L.	Harry Keller of Boston	had no votes	0
D.	John MacDonnell of Boston	had one hundred thirty-nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 13.

S	Eugene Hough of Newton	had one vote	1
P.	Moses D. Mosley of Newton	had one vote	1
R.	George S. Smith of Newton	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.L.	Lyer Enger of Ashland	had no votes	0
D.	Edward C. Finberg of Boston	had one hundred thirty-nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 14.

S	Joel Thibadeau of Braton	had one vote	1
P.	Albert J. Orem of Sharon	had one vote	1
R.	Horace A. Keith of Bracton	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.L.	John A. Fredrickson of Braintree	had no votes	0
D.	Charles M. Hickey of Brocton	had one hundred thirty Nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 15.

S.	Louis Schriever of North Attleborough	had one vote	1
P.	John M. Fisher of Attleboro	had one vote	1
R.	Fred E. Goff of Taunton	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.L.	Albert Barnes of Fall River	had no votes	0
D.	John J. Doherty of Fall River	had one hundred thirty-Nine votes	139
		blanks	21

District No. 16.

S.	Robert Metcalf of New Bedford	had one vote	1
P.	James L. Bartholomew of New Bedford	had one vote	1
R.	Phineas C. Headley, Jr., of Fair Haven	had two hundred and nine votes	209
S.L.	Jeremiah O'Malley of Plymouth	had no votes	0
D.	Thomas C. Thacher of Yarmouth	had one hundred thirty Nine votes	39
		blanks	2

For Governor

S.L.	James Hayes of Plymouth	had three votes	3
P.	Chester R. Lawrence of Boston	had three votes	6
R.	Samuel W. McCall of Winchester	had two hundred and fourteen votes	214
D.	Frederick W. Mansfield of Boston	had one hundred and twenty-seven votes	127
S.	Dana A. White of Brocton	had one vote	1
		blanks	23

For Lieutenant Governor

R.	Calvin Coolidge of Northampton	had two hundred twenty-five votes	225
P.	Alfred H. Evans of Hadley	had no votes	0
S.	Sylvester J. McBride of Watertown	had one vote	1
S.L.	Thomas J. Maher of Medford	had no votes	0
D.	Thomas P. Riley of Malden	had one hundred twelve votes	112
		blanks	83

For Secretary

S.L.	Thomas F. Brennan of Salem	had two votes	2
D.	Leon R. Eyges of Brookline	had one hundred five votes	105
S	Louis Adams Frothingham of Boston	had two votes	2
R.	Albert P. Langtry of Springfield	had two hundred sixteen votes	216
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For Treasurer

R.	Charles L. Burrill of Boston	had two hundred and fourteen votes	214
S.L.	Frederick E. Pelcher of Peabody	had no votes	0
S	Elam K. Sheldon of Greenfield	had one vote	1
D.	Henry H. Teague of Williamstown	had one hundred and twelve votes	112
		blanks	44

For Auditor

S	Joseph Bearak of Boston	had one vote	1
S.L.	Frank Bohmbach of Boston	had four votes	4
R.	George B. Cook of Boston	had two hundred and eight votes	208
D.	John B.N. Soulliere of Worcester	had one hundred and nine votes	109
		blanks	49

For Attorney-General

R.	Henry C. Attwill of Lynn	had two hundred thirteen votes	213
D.	Joseph Joyce Donahue of Medford	had one hundred eleven votes	111
S.L.	Joseph Sirkis of Milford	had one vote	1
S.	John Weaver Sherman of Boston	had three votes	3
		blanks	43

For Senator in Congress

D.	John F. Fitzgerald of Boston	had one hundred twenty nine votes	129
R.	Henry Cabot Lodge of Nahant	had two hundred eight votes	208
S	William H. McDonald	had four votes	4
		blanks	30

For Congressman

R.	William H. Carter of Needham	had two hundred sixteen votes	216
D.	William H. Murphy of Marlborough	had one hundred twenty four	124
		blanks	31

For Councillor Seventh District

S	Frank V. Justen of Fitchburg	had eighteen votes	18
R.	Channing Smith of Leicester	had two hundred twenty seven votes	227
	Harvey Page	had one vote	1
		blanks	125

Senator Fourth Worcester District

R.	George Fred Hart	had two hundred and eight votes	208
D.	John J. McLaughlin	had one hundred and twelve votes	112
			51

For Representatives in General Court 9th Worcester District

R.	Arthur W. Brait of Upton	had one hundred ninety votes	190
D.	William A. Murray of Milford	had ninety-eight votes	98
P.	Edgar A. Pierce of Westborough	had six votes	6
R.	Francis Prescott of Grafton	had one hundred sixty-nine votes	169
D.	John J. Sheehan of Westborough	had one hundred twenty one votes	121
		blanks	158

For County Commissioner Worcester County

R. George W. Cook of Barre had two hundred thirty one votes 231
blanks 140

For Associate Commissioners

J. D. Newton had two votes 2
R. A. Newton had one vote 1
C. R. Lindstrom had one vote 1
blanks 728

For District Attorney Middle District

R. Edward J. Estey of Worcester had two hundred and five votes 205
D. John M. Thayer of Worcester had one hundred and eight votes 108
blanks 58

For Clerk of Courts Worcester County

R. Theodore A. Johnson of Worcester had two hundred twenty votes 220
blanks 151

For Register of Deeds Worcester District

R. Daniel Rent of Worcester had two hundred nineteen votes. 219
blanks 152.

"Shall there be a convention to revise, alter or amend the Constitution of the Commonwealth?"

Yes 120
No 94
blanks 147

"Shall an act framed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and sixteen, to make the first day of January, known as New Years Day, a legal holiday, be approved and become law?"

Yes 193
No 71
blanks 107

"Shall an act framed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and sixteen, entitled 'An Act to prevent the voters of one political party from voting in the primaries of another political party' be approved and become law?"

Yes	147
No	84
Blanks	140

"Shall the Representative or Representatives from this district be instructed to support the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, providing for some form of the initiative and referendum which shall give to the voters the power to accept or reject statutes and constitutional amendments proposed to the Legislature by petition of a substantial number of citizens but rejected by it, and also the power, upon such petition, to reject measures passed by the Legislature?"

Yes.	157
No.	63
Blanks	151

The meeting was voted dissolved

The Returns were filled out on blanks furnished by the Secretary of the Commonwealth and transmitted to his office by Mail on the morning of the ninth of November

Charles H. Newton.
Town Clerk

Democratic Town Committee
Southborough, Mass.
Officers for 1916 & 1917

Chairman	John E. Welch	Cordaville,	Mass.
Treasurer	Seth H. Howes	Southboro,	Mass.
Secretary	Chas. E. Bagley	Southboro,	Mass.

Copy to Democratic State Committee
Secretary of State
Town Clerk, Southboro, Mass.
By Chas. E. Bagley Sec.

A true copy,
Attest: Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Recd & Recorded Nov. 29, 1916.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

Grafton, November 17, 1916.

In compliance with Section 257 of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws as amended by Chapter 270 General Acts of 1916 We, the Town Clerks of the towns of Milford, Southborough, Grafton, Upton, Shrewsbury and Westborough, which towns comprise the ninth Worcester Representative District, this day assembled in the office of the Town Clerk in said Grafton, at 12 O'clock, Noon, and canvassed the returns of votes in said towns for two Representatives in the General Court, to be holden in Boston on the first Wednesday in January next. Said votes were returned to us as by law required, and were given in at a legal meeting held in each of said towns for that purpose, on the 7th day of November, A.D., 1916, and is shown by the following tabular statement:

	Southborough	Grafton	Milford	Shrewsbury	Upton	Westborough	Total
Arthur W. Frail	190	451	745	286	270	505	2447
William A. Murray	98	282	1483	70	104	223	2260
Edgar A Pierce	6	10	19	8	3	67	113
Francis Prescott	169	582	528	258	212	457	2126
John J. Sheehan	121	196	1075	58	61	264	1775
Blank	158	337	596	180	104	312	1687
Total	742	1778	4446	860	754	1828	10408

Arthur W. Frail of Upton and
William A. Murray of Milford having received the largest number of votes, were declared elected, and to them were Certificates issued, also a duplicate Certificate sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth as by law required.

In Witness Whereof, We, the Town Clerks of Milford, Southborough, Upton, Grafton, Shrewsbury and Westborough, hereunto set our names,

this seventeenth day of November 1916.

Attest:

Dennis J. Sullivan	Town Clerk of	Milford
Edwin A. Howe	" "	Grafton
Charles H. Newton	" "	Southborough
George E. Stone	" "	Shrewsbury
Francis T. Nelson	" "	Upton
Joseph L. Gates	" "	Westborough

A true copy,

Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk of
Southborough.

Perambulation of the Town Line between Southborough, Mass. and Framingham, Mass.

Persuant to the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, We Theo. F. Rice and William F. Welch, Selectmen of Framingham, and Raymond Overson, Lyman Pollensby and Francis D. Newton Selectmen of Southborough, met on the twenty sixth day of November A.D. 1915 and perambulated the line between our respective towns as follows:-

Beginning at the northeast corner of Southborough at a stone monument, marked M.F.&S. at the corner of Framingham, Marlborough and Southborough; thence 1¼ rods West to a stone Monument in the road leading from Framingham to Marlborough marked F.&S.; thence to a stone Monument at the corner of a wall on line of lands of Reginald Bird, formerly owned by Ashbel Howe and Paul W. Gibbs; thence to a stone Monument in the wall on line of lands of said Reginald Bird, marked S.&F.; thence to a stone Monument on a rock near the house of said Reginald Bird, formerly owned by Addison Belknap, marked F.S.; Thence to a stone Monument in the road near the house of Sullivan Outhank marked F.&S.; thence to a stone Monument on the old Worcester Turnpike, so-called, marked F.&S., thence to a stone monument by land of Dudley Heirs, marked F.S.&A., it being the corner of Framingham and Ashland.

Theo. F. Rice, William F. Welch } Selectmen of Framingham
Raymond H. Overson, Lyman Pollensby, Francis D. Newton } Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy,

Attest: Chas. H. Newton Town clerk

Read & Recorded Dec. 1, 1916.

Peramulation of the common line between Hopkinton, Mass. and Northborough, Mass.

The undersigned Selectmen of Hopkinton and Northborough having met according to notice this 6th day of December A.D. 1916, to peramulate and run the lines and renew the marks upon the Monuments between said towns have performed that duty and find the bounds all correct and make the following report:

Commencing at a point in the center of the Concord River it being the corner found between the towns of Hopkinton, Northborough and Ashland, said point being North 13o E from a stone monument by the side of said river marked H.S.B.A. thence, running westerly in the Center of said river to a stone monument by a rock on the Northerly side of the river marked H.S.H. being the corner found of Hopkinton, Northborough and Ashland.

Horton B. Stewart Del. f.D.H. } Selectmen
Edward Carr } of
Waldo V. Thompson } Hopkinton

Raymond H Gleason } Selectmen
Lyman Forsberg } of
Francis D. Newton } Northborough

A true copy,
Attest:
Charles H Newton town Clerk
of
Northborough

Registrar of Voters appointed

Southborough Feb. 13, 1917.

To Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

Dear Sir:

At a meeting of the Selectmen, Joseph A. O'Leary was appointed a Registrar of Voters to fill vacancy caused by absence of Irving Smith Mr. Smith was appointed for three years from March 1916.

Yours very truly.

Chas. H. Newton Clerk of Selectmen.

Qualified

Southborough Feb. 14, 1917

Personally appeared before me Joseph A. O'Leary who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Registrar of Voters.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Local Moth Supt.

The Selectmen of the Town of Southboro have this day appointed Harry Burnett address Southboro as Local Moth Superintendent of said town. This appointment is made subject to the approval of the State Forester.

Signed Charles H. Newton
Clerk Board of Selectmen

Date January 5, 1917
Approved ... (Jan. 17, 17 - E.W. Rae State Forester)
C.H.N.
Division Superintendent.

A true Copy.
Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Forest Warden

The Selectmen of the Town of Southboro have this day appointed Harry Burnett Address Southboro as Forest Warden of said town. This appointment is made subject to the approval of the State Forester.

Signed Charles H. Newton
Clerk Board of Selectmen.

Date January 5, 1917.
Approved ... (Jan. 13 M.C. Hutchins State Fire Warden)
C.H.N.
S.C.
District Forest Warden

A true Copy.
Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Voters for Annual Town Meeting Monday May 3, 19

Timothy Bayley — Allen H Kinsley
William H Cutting — Chas H Morrison
Harry G McMaster — Randall Hamilton
James D. Cockwell and Howard R Lincoln

Appointed by the Selectmen.

Charles H Hamilton
Town Clerk

Warrant for March Meeting 1917

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Monday, March 5, A.D. 1917.

at Nine of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles.

Article 1. - To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting.

Article 2. - To choose all necessary Town Officers and Committees.

Article 3. - The following Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Auditor, Selectmen, Assessor, Overseers of the Poor, School Committee, Town House Committee, Cemetery Commissioners, Trustees of the Pay Library, Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden, Constables, and one member of the Board of Health, to be on one ballot.

The following officers to be chosen by ballot: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Selectmen for three years, one member of the School Committee for three years, one overseer of the Poor for three years, Tree Warden, Highway Surveyor, three members of the Town House Committee one member of the Cemetery Commission for three years, one member of the Board of Health for three years, two members of the Advisory Committee two Trustees of the Pay Library, and Constables.

The polls will be open at 9 O'Clock in the forenoon for the election of officers to be chosen by ballot and may be closed at 3 O'Clock in the afternoon of said day. All other articles to be considered and business to come before the Meeting will be taken up at 9 O'Clock in the forenoon of said day.

Article 4.— To vote by ballot, yes or no on granting license for the sale of intoxicating liquors:

Article 5.— To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the legitimate use of the Town and make appropriations of the same:

Article 6.— To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Article 7.— To determine the manner of collecting the taxes for the ensuing year, or do or act thereon.

Article 8.— To see if the Town will authorize its Collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use in appointing Collector:

Article 9.— To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town's use, and pass any vote respecting the same:

Article 10.— To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog Money, or do or act thereon.

Article 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the Town; and to prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town:

Article 12. - To see what action the Town will take to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors, or do or act thereon.

Article 13. - To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, for defraying the expenses of Memorial Day, and repairing and decorating soldiers' graves.

Article 14. - To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifty dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 25, Section 45, of the Revised Laws, or do or act thereon.

Article 15. - To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to further repair the Town House, or do or act thereon.

Article 16. - To see if the Town will instruct the Town House Committee to allow the free use of the Town House to any organization for military drill or do or act thereon.

Article 17. - To see if the Town will provide for the care of the Town Building in Bayville, or do or act thereon.

Article 18. - To see what action the Town will take regarding fire grounds or do or act thereon.

Article 19. - To see if the Town will establish the salary of the Highway Surveyor, or do or act thereon.

Article 20. - To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to remove the Town Depot to the Town Dock, as may be necessary to protect the interests of the Town, or take any vote respecting the same

Article 21.— To see if the Town will vote as to the price to be paid for labor and teams in the Town's employ for the ensuing year, or act anything respecting the same.

Article 22.— To see if the Town will accept the report of the selectmen as to establishment of the lines of Walnut Hill Road as it junctions with Main Street, or do or act thereon.

Article 23.— To hear the report of the Committee appointed to investigate by ending the old way leading southerly from Oak Hill Road to the house of Harriet E. Walker, and act thereon.

Article 24.— To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen as to the old way on Oak Hill, leading to the house of Harriett E. Walker.

Article 25.— To appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for street lights and pass any vote respecting street lights.

Article 26.— To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase the house and land in Northville now leased for the Fire Department, or pass any vote respecting the Fire Station in Northville.

Article 27.— To see if the Town will provide money for Highway Surveyor spending upon or charges of Fire Department.

And you are to give notice thereof, by posting true and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town Hall, Plymouth, Post Office and other public and conspicuous places in said Town, seven days, at least, before the time for said meeting, and also publishing same in the Northville Record.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our Hands this sixteenth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Raymond H Chesson
Lincoln D. Newton
Lyman Follansby
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough March 6 1917

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting one true and attested copy at the Town Hall, Framingham, Southboro, and three other conspicuous places in said town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting and have caused the same to be published in the Southborough Chronotype.

Charles E. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

Also one copy of Warrant and Officers return. Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Annual March Meeting 1917

In accordance with the preceding warrant the legal voters of the Town of Northborough met at the Town Hall at nine o'clock in the forenoon of March 5

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk, who read the call and articles 1-2-3-4 and the Constables return of service, the meeting voting to dispense with reading of Articles 5 to 27 inclusive

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen consisting of

Timothy Bagley — James M. Stockwell
William H. Cutler — Howard R. Dawson
Abraham J. Nicolay — Allan H. Hoover
Andrew R. Sullivan and Harry A. McMaster

were qualified by the Town Clerk, to be assigned to their various duties as needed.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the Polls and under

Article 1 Chose Keith H. Howes Moderator by ballot.

An attested Check list was delivered to the Ballot clerks and another to the checkers at the Ballot Box.

A package supposed to contain 540 official ballots for male voters — and 120 official ballots (for School Committee only) for female voters, was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Moderator and his receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was opened and publicly shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked by Constable Case who retained the key.

The register on the Ballot Box showed 0.0.0.0

The Moderator declared the Polls open at nine o'clock A. M.

Article 5 Voted, by a rising vote, sixty in favor none against to raise the sum of ($57,600.) fifty-seven thousand and six hundred dollars, and that the same be assessed upon the estates within the town, to pay town debts and charges and that the Assessors deduct all anticipated

revenue before the tax rate is established) to be appropriated as follows:

Voted to appropriate for General Government:

Selectmen	$600.00	
Advisory Committee	50.00	
Accountant	225.00	
Treasurer	350.00	
Collector of Taxes	375.00	
Assessors	425.00	
Law	300.00	
Town Clerk	200.00	
Election & Registration	350.00	
Town House Care	100.00	
Town House repairs	200.00	$4775.00

Voted to appropriate for protection of persons and Property:

Police	$300.00	
Fire Department	1000.00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	100.00	
Tree Warden	3250.00	$4650.00

Voted to appropriate for Health and Sanitation

Inspection of Animals	$200.00	
Board of Health	500.00	$700.00

Voted to appropriate for Highways

General Repairs	$6000.00	
Street Lights	4725.00	$10725.00

Voted to appropriate for Charities & Soldiers Benefits:

Poor Dept	$3000.00	
State Aid & Soldiers Relief	1000.00	$4000.00

Voted to appropriate for Education & Libraries

Schools	$18000.00	
Trade Schools	250.00	
School Repairs	1000.00	
Library	1500.00	$21250.00

Voted to appropriate for Education and miscellaneous

Bayville building		$200.00
Reserve Fund	Highways, under direction of selectmen	1000.00
Reserve Fund		3000.00
Play Grounds		150.00
Swimming Pool		50.00
Common + Town House Grounds		150.00
Memorial Day		100.00
G.A.R. relief		50.00
Printing Town Reports		200.00 $5000.00

Voted to appropriate for Cemeteries

Cemetery		$1000.00 $1500.00

Voted to appropriate for Interest and Maturing Debt

Interest		$1000.00
Retire Two bonds		2000.00
Retire Two notes		2000.00 $5000.00

Grand Total $17600.00

Article 6 The reports of the various Town Officers were acted upon and accepted.

Article 7 Voted, That the Collector proceed in legal manner as covered by statute.

Article 8 Voted, to authorize the collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Article 9 Voted, that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1917, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and renewals of any note or notes issued within one year, and that the debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year. (Total that may be borrowed not to exceed $5000.) by a rising vote 70 in favor, none against.

Article 10 Voted the log money to the treasury, and that the Schools and Library each be allowed an amount equal to one half the actual amount received by the Treasury.

Article 11 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the town, and to prosecute any suits in behalf of the town.

Article 12 Voted, to leave the suppression of the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors in the hands of the Selectmen.

Article 13 Voted, to appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars to be expended by Post 44. Grand Army of the Republic for defraying the expenses of Memorial Day, and cleaning and decorating soldiers graves.
(See Appropriation)

Article 14 Voted, to appropriate the sum of sixty dollars to be expended by Post 44 Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 25 Section 15, of the revised laws.
(See Appropriation)

Article 15 Voted, under appropriations $700.00 for general care $1200.00 for each year and current year repairs.

Article 16 Voted to instruct the Town House Committee to allow the free use of the Town House for Military drill.

Article 17 Voted, that the Moderator appoint a committee of three to care for the Town Building in Dayville.
Moderator appointed

Article 18 Voted, that the Selectmen appoint a Committee to locate open ways

Article 19 Voted that the salaries of the Highway Surveyor for 1917 and until otherwise voted be $2.00 per day for each day he actually

[illegible] till July 1st, and an amount raised of $150.— for general expenses.

Article 20 Voted, to authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General Court, as may be necessary to protect the interests of the Town.

Article 21 Voted,
That the Highway Surveyor [illegible] pay $6.00 per day for team, and $2.00 per day for men, for an 8 hour day. But if he cannot secure sufficient labor at those prices he may pay such as in his discretion.

Article 22 Voted, to Pass this article as it stands and the Chairman will [illegible].

Article 23 Committee reported that they [illegible] discontinuing as a highway in the year 1850 see Town Meeting records for 1850.
Voted, To accept the Committees Report.

Article 24 Voted, That the Selectmen proceed under, advice to lay out the old way on Oak Hill, leading to the house of Harriet E. Walker.

Article 25 Voted, Pass the Appropriations

Article 26 Voted, that the matter be left in the hands of the Selectmen to act as need. Town Meeting.

Article 27 Voted, to instruct the Highway Surveyor to widen certain portions of Pine Hill road, money to be taken from Highway appropriations

Voted, Polls be kept open till 7— P.M.

Voted, no further action be taken on any articles in the Warrant so the time be spent wholly in Election of Officers.

At 3.30 P.M. all being agreed 200 ballots were taken from the Ballot Box that counting might be commenced. At this time the register showed [0]3[0]4[7]

At 5.00 P.M. 50 Male ballots and 48 male ballots taken out

At 7.00 P.M. 77 Male ballots and 2 female ballots taken out the Polls being declared closed at this time.

The register on the Ballot Box showed [0]3[4][7]

Ballot Clerks Check list showed the names of 297 Male voters and 50 female voters checked as having received ballots, and the check list at the Ballot Box agreed with this count.

The Ballots were counted as required by law and public declarations made as follows:

Articles 203

For Town Clerk

S. 3-5 by Moderator — Charles H. Allerton had two hundred fifty four votes (254)

blanks 43

For Town Treasurer

S. 3-10 — Thomas E. Waldron had two hundred fifty two (252)

blanks 85

For Collector of Taxes

Charles L. Fairbanks had two hundred fifty four (254)

blanks 43

For Selectman for three years

S 3-5 — Raymond H. Dixon had two hundred thirty seven votes (237)

blanks 60

For Assessor of Taxes for three years

S 3-6 — Edward F. Collins had two hundred forty six votes (246)

blanks 51

For School Committee for three years

S 3-6 — Frederick H. Hinckley (Jr. Rep.) had one hundred ninety one votes (191)

Charles W. Proctor had one hundred and forty seven votes (147)

blanks 9

For Overseers of the Poor

S-4-3 Paul S. Lincoln had two hundred and forty six votes (246)
J. J. Collins had one vote (1)

Blanks 50

For Town Hall Committee

S 3-8 Albert E. Hutt had two hundred and nine votes (209)
S 3-9 Harry A. McNally had two hundred and twenty two votes (222)
S 3-12 Edgar M. Smith had two hundred and fifteen votes (215)
Geo. Allen had two votes (2)
De Clinton Nichols had one vote (1)
John Blanchard had one vote (1)

Blanks 240

For Cemetery Commissioner three years

S 3-10 Adelbert E. Collins had two hundred and sixteen votes (216)

Blanks 81

For Constables

S 3-6 Edward C. Chase had two hundred and nineteen votes (219)
William Duncan had two hundred and twelve votes (212)
S 3-16 Lyman Hollenbeg had two hundred and nineteen votes (219)
S 3-5 Charles C. Hildreth had two hundred and sixteen votes (216)
Thomas H. McKinney had two hundred and twenty four votes (224)
S 3-16 Francis W. Hinkley had two hundred and twenty three votes (223)
Wm Bagley had one vote (1)

Blanks 468

For Highway Surveyor

S-4-7 William A. Gould had one hundred and forty two votes (142)
Charles A. Hisey had one hundred and forty four votes (144)

Blanks 2

For Tree Warden

Harry B. Arnett had two hundred and twenty votes (220)
H. E. Hutt had one vote (1)

Blanks 51

For Trustees of Library
H. H. Lebo H. Cutler Two hundred and five votes (205)
Charles F. Choate Jr. Two hundred and seventy & 2/3 votes
Blanks 107

For Advisory Committee one year
Robert H. Farmer Two hundred and thirty two votes
George I. Gardner Two hundred and twenty seven votes
Blanks 135

For Advisory Committee two years
Earl F. Linaticum Two hundred and fifteen votes (215)
Blanks 82

For Board of Health five years.
S-4-3 Robert Rich Cutler Two hundred and forty one votes (241)
Blanks 58

The following were declared by Moderator from the floor"

Measurer of Wood and Bark
S-4-3 Frank L. Lincoln (S-3-26 De Clinton Nichols)
{Charles E. Watkins {Resigned Mar. 1, 1917} Marcus D. Jackson

Surveyor of Lumber
C. A. Parmenter (S-3-26 De Clinton Nichols)

Public Weigher
Marcus D. Jackson (S-3-26 De Clinton Nichols)

Field Drivers
S-3-31 Harry Burnett II Donald McLeod
Robert H. Howes

Pound Keeper
Henry Hanson

Fence Viewers
S-3-6 Lyman Edwards S-4-3 Raymond H. Dickson
S-4-3 Fabian D. Lindsay Gabriel A. Leland
F. W. Lyman Bradley

Article 4 For Licenses to sell intoxicating liquor-

Yes	83
No	180
Blanks	34

Voted- the announcement was made, the tally sheets and ballots and were tied in packages, signed and sealed as by law required, and it was voted to dissolve the meeting.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Resolution to the President of the United States

Whereas the Town of Southborough in times past has been foremost in recognizing its obligation for National defence, and whereas its citizens have honorably responded to the nations call, therefore be it Resolved,— that the citizens of Southborough, in meeting assembled call upon the President of the United States, in the present crisis to use all means in his power consistent with his Constitutional right to uphold the safety, honor and welfare of the Nation.

Voted; that the secretary of this meeting send a copy of this resolution to the President of the United States.

Charles H. Newton
Secretary.

Attested Copy
Under Town Seal, Mailed by Town Clerk.
C.H.N.

The White House Washington

The President thanks you cordially for the kind words which you convey to him and the message which you have taken so much pains to transmit to him and he is sure that it will be read with pleasure by the people of Southborough.

A true Copy Attest: Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

Petition for recount highway surveyor

To the Town Clerk of the Town of Southborough

We the undersigned, legal voters of the Town of Southborough, respectfully represent that we have reason to believe and do believe that at the election for the office of Highway Surveyor in said town of Southborough, held on the fifth day of March, 1917, in said town of Southborough, the records or Copies of records of the election officers of said Town, are erroneous, and that there were more votes Counted for William A. Gould for said office than were cast for him at said election, and that there were fewer votes Counted for Charles C. Wisener for said office than were cast for him at said election, and we respectfully ask that the ballots cast in said Town of Southborough at said election be recounted; and a true Count determined, as we believe a recount of said ballots will affect the election of said Charles C. Wisener, who was a Candidate at election.

Name	Residence April 1, 1917
Michael R. Haley	Southborough Mass.
Dan T. Mullin	Southborough Mass.
James E. Jackson	Southborough Mass.
J. H. Feeney	Southborough Mass.
Edward J. Cannon	Southborough Mass.
Leonard R. Hardy	Southborough Mass.
Jas. Feeney	Southborough Mass.
John F. Feeney	Southborough Mass.
Wm. L. Baker	Southborough Mass.
John J. Feeney	Southborough Mass.
Archibald Macdonald	Southborough Mass.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

Then personally appeared this seventh day of March 1917 John F Feeney one of the signers of the above petition, and made oath that the foregoing petition by him subscribed,

a true.

Before me, Charles L. Fairbanks
Justice of the Peace.

Filed 9-10 A.M. March 7, 1917
Charles H. Newbury, Town Clerk.

A true Copy,
Attest;
Charles H. Newbury
Town Clerk.

Northfield March 10, 1917.

Upon the foregoing petition for account due notice in writing having been given to all interested parties, an account of the Polls Cast for Highway Surveyor at the Annual Town Meeting held Monday March 5, 1917 was this day held at 7-30 P.M.

Charles O Wiseman was represented by William Duffy
William A. Gould was represented by Thomas F. Early.

Following is the result;

William A. Gould had one hundred and fifty votes (150)
Charles O Wiseman had one hundred and forty four votes (144)
Blanks 2

Which count is the same as the original count.

Members of the Board of Registrars present at the account were
William F. Harrington, Joseph A. O'Leary. Charles H. Newbury.

Charles H. Newbury
Clerk Board of Registrars.

Appointments 1917

Southborough March 16, 1917.

To Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day the following appointments were made:

Charles H. Newton — Clerk Board of Selectmen. Salary $50. per
S 3-16 Charles E. Bagley — Town Accountant for 3 years: Salary $200. p
Mary E. Fitzgerald — Public Weigher
S 6-1 James G. Stockwell — Public Weigher
John Healey — Public Weigher of Coal.
Edward C. Nichols — Weigher of Coal.
S-4-27 William J. O'Neil — Registrar of Voters for 3 years
Samuel F. Draper — Special Police Agent
Charles C. Hixson — Special Police without pay for St Marks property.
Edward C. Chase — Hog Reeve
Elbert E. Hall — Fire Wardens.
Charles Jones — " "
James B. Johnson — " "
Charles C. Fiddick — " "
Eugene Bent — " "
Parker H. Atkinson — " "
S-5-1 William Smidde and Fred M. Wolf, Special Police without pay in the land and works of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board in the Town of Southborough. (S-5-1)
S-6-2 Marcus L. Jackson — Special Police without pay at Cordaville Station of the Boston and Albany R.R.
John J. O'Bennett — Special Police without pay
Michael R. Maley — " " " "
S-5-1 Willard C. Simpson — " " " "

Charles H. Newton
Clerk Board of
Selectmen

All the above appointees notified by letter not later than March 20. 1917.

C.H.N.

Southbridge, March 16, 1917

To Charles H Fenton
Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Veterans held this day, the following persons were appointed as ballot officers for the Primary election of delegates to the Constitutional Convention:

Percy Sellers — William H Hutchins
Edmund J Hanlon — Robert W Jones
Andrew P Sullivan — Timothy Hagley
Harry A McMaster — William J O'Neil

Yours truly
Charles H Fenton
Clerk Board of Selectmen.

Constitutional Primary Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester ss

To either of the Constables of the Town of Northborough.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town House in said Northborough,

Tuesday, the 3rd day of April, 1917
at 7 30 o'Clock P.M.

for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of Candidates for Delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

32 Delegates at large
8 Delegates from the thirteenth Congressional District.
4 Delegates from the Ninth Representative District.

All the above candidates are to be voted for upon one ballot, Each voter may vote only for sixteen Candidates at large, four candidates by Congressional District and two by Representative District.

The Polls will be open from 7.30 A.M. to 9.30 P.M. and you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this thirteenth day of March A. D. 1917.

Raymond H Eaton
Francis D. Huntley
Lyman Tollensby.
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough April 3rd 1917

I have served this Warrant as therein directed by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the Town;

Charles E. Fiske
Constable of Southborough

A true Copy of Warrant
and Officers Return
Attest:

Charles H. Huntley
Town Clerk

Constitutional Primary Election April 3, 1917.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the voters of Southborough qualified to vote in Primaries met in the Town Hall at seven thirty o'clock in the evening of April 3, 1917. The Town Clerk acting for the Presiding Officer read the Warrant and the Constables return of service thereon.

The election officers heretofore appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of Andrew H. Sullivan Harry A. McMaster, Percy Sellers, Edmund J. Wilson William H. Cushman, Herbert H. Jones, Timothy Bagley and William J. O'Neil. were qualified by the Town Clerk; Two were stationed at the Ballot Table check list, two at the Ballot Box check list, one at the Ballot Box, the remainder acting as substitutes.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, thereafter closed and locked it, retaining the key.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed [0|0|0]

Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

Officers were stationed at the outlets to and exits from the hall, at seven thirty o'clock the polls were declared open for voting and were kept open at least two hours.

At the Ballot Clerks table one hundred and Ninety-Eight names of voters were checked as having received ballots.

One hundred and ninety eight names of voters were checked as having deposited ballots in the Ballot Box.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed [1|9|8]

There were a total of one hundred and Ninety-Eight cancelled ballots taken from the Ballot Box.

The counting proceeded as by law directed and public declaration made as follows;

For Candidates for Delegates at Large

Charles Francis Adams of Fairhaven (p.o. Concord) had 144 votes
George W. Anderson of 219 Fisher Ave. Brookline had 50 votes
William J. Andrew of 33 Beacon St. Somerville had 16 votes
Albert S. Apsey of 180 Brattle St. Cambridge had 100 votes
Charles J. Barton of 80 Meriden St., Melrose had 14 votes
John T. Batey of 1537 Beacon St. Brookline had 127 votes
Addison Beardsley of 3 Copeland St. Boston had 13 votes
William H. Brooks of 171 Pine St. Holyoke had 97 votes
Walter A. Buie of 11 Hamilton St. Boston had 11 votes
Harvey V. Chase of 1038 Beacon St. Brookline had 20 votes
Charles F. Choate Jr. of Main St. Southborough had 178 votes
Charles W. Clifford of 75 Orchard St. New Bedford had 40 votes
George W. Coleman of 177 Westbrook St., Boston had 24 votes
Louis A. Coolidge of 29 Canton Ave. Milton had 109 votes
John W. Cummings of 633 Locust St. Fall River had 113 votes
Edwin U. Curtis of 131 Bay State Rd Boston had 107 votes
Samuel R. Cutler of 48 Cushman Ave Revere had 12 votes
Arthur W. De Goosh of 224 Newbury St. Boston had 8 votes
Daniel E. Denny of 127 West St. Worcester had 22 votes
Daniel F. Donovan of 45 Holyoke St. Springfield had 20 votes
George H. Doty of Chapelo Rd., Attleboro had 21 votes
Hugh P. Drysdale of 78 Cherry St, North Adams had 8 votes
Frank E. Dumbar of 285 Andover St., Lowell had 36 votes
Samuel J. Elder of Cambridge St., Winchester had 104 votes
Wilmot R. Evans Jr. of 31 Hancock St., Everett had 36 votes
Eugene N. Foss of 11 Revere St. Boston had 88 votes
Harry A. Garfield of Williamstown had 31 votes
Ralph W. Gleason of 774 East Broadway Boston had 5 votes
Gordon W. Gordon of 9 Belmont St. Springfield had 17 votes
Matthew Hale of 4 Dana River Square Boston had 88 votes
Arthur W. Hill of 17 Skinner St. Boston had 24 votes
William Hutchins of [illegible] had 1 vote
Patrick J. Jennings of 649 Broadway Ave. Boston had 41 votes
Dennis J. Johnson of 79 Raymond St. Cambridge had 28 votes
Robert Lawrence Lowell of 17 Quincy St. Cambridge had 29 votes
Nathan Matthews of 116 Beacon St. Boston had 100 votes

James J. Moriarty of 280 Dorchester St, Boston had 38 votes
Joseph C. Pelletier of 849 Beacon St Boston had 60 votes
Francis Devine of Charles River Square, Boston had 36 votes
Charles W. Rowley of 38 Leamington Rd, Boston had 10 votes
John Weaver Sherman of 170 Dartmouth St Boston had 17 votes
James A Stiles of Highland St Gardner had 51 votes
Moorfield Storey of Rafels Road, Lincoln had 38 votes
Charles B Strecker of 400 Commonwealth Ave, Boston had 22 votes
Frederick Winslow Tisdale of 20 Hilliard Ave, Boston had 9 votes
Whitfield L. Tuck of 9 Winthrop St Winchester had 11 votes
Joseph Walker of 108 Highland Road Brookline had 89 votes
David A. Walsh of Fitchburg had 68 votes
Robert M. Washburn of 42 Elm St Worcester had 48 votes
Herman L. Whipple of Harvard St, Dorchester had 66 votes
Leonard Williams of 20 Pilgrim St Quincy had 18 votes
George H Wrenn of 41 Maple St Springfield had 25 votes
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For Candidates for Delegates from 13th Congressional Dist.
Frederick L. Anderson of 15 Forest St, Newton had 83 votes
Charles J. Bird of 1 Vera Ave, Medford 70 votes
Edward F. Cook of 1 Bond St, Boston had 61 votes
Courtenay Crocker of Needham had 26 votes
Daniel F. Daley of 247 Walnut St, Brookline had 42 votes
Henry L. Dennison of Edmands St, Framingham had 59 votes
Frederick P. Fish of 9 Prescott St, Brookline had 130 votes
Nathaniel A. Frances of 35 Davis Ave, Brookline had 8 votes
Walton A. Green of South Ave Newton had 38 votes
Walter Hartstone of 15 Orkney Rd, Boston had 5 votes
Robert Luce of 33 Harris St, Waltham had 89 votes
Samuel L. Powers of 96 Arlington St, Newton had 84 votes
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For Candidates for Delegates from 9th Representative Dist.
Joseph S. Gates of 14 Phillips St, Westborough had 75 votes
Seth H. Howes of East Main St Southboro had 86 votes
John L. Lynch of 305 Main St, Milford had 70 votes
Raymond H. Parsons of Church St Hopkinton had 130 votes
John W. Slattery of 6 Bond St, Westborough had 27 votes
Appleton P. H. Williams of Main St, Upton had 11 votes
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The Ballots Cast and the Tallysheets used were sealed and signed as by law required and the Primary Election was voted dissolved.

Charles H. Hewlett
Town Clerk

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Southborough March 31, 1917

To Charles H. Newton Town Clerk
Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following action was taken.

"Owing to the prospect of a Declaration of War of the United States with Germany, the Selectmen have met and appointed the following named citizens as a Committee of Public Safety, with full power to appoint Sub Committees and do all things necessary to aid and support the Government, and prepare and advise as to any and all things that the citizens and Town can or should do in the impending crisis"

Charles F. Woods Jr.
Raymond H. Gleason
Josiah True
George H. Bennett
Andrew R. Sullivan

Signed
Francis W. Newton
Sec.

A true Copy Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough April 6 1917.

To Charles H Newton, town Clerk

At a Special Meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following named persons, Members of the Southborough Rifles were appointed as special police subject to the call of the Selectmen, and they were sworn in and qualified as such by Francis W. Newton of the Board of Selectmen.

Thomas McDonald
Irving Lawson
Roger Johnson
Harold Stivers
Richard McMaster
John Flanders
Warren Stivers
Harry Burnett
George Burnett
Charles Merro
Joseph Restighemi
Paul Hadley
Elliot Giffin
Herbert Schnare

Signed
Francis W. Newton
Sec.

A true Copy. Attest;
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southborough April 6, 1917

To Charles H Newton, Town Clerk

At the Regular Meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following appointments were made;

S-5-1 Willard C. Simpson — Sealer of Weights and Measures at a salary of $75 + $25 for travel

William H. Cuttank — Inspector of Animals at a Salary of $200.00

Seth H. Howes
Douglas Ahlman
Andrew R. Sullivan
} Play Ground Committee

Yours very truly
Selectmen of Southborough
by Chas H. Newton
clerk

Southborough April 7 1917

All of the above appointees were notified by

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

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Warrant for Constitutional Convention

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Northborough.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Elections to meet in the Town House in said Northborough on

Tuesday, the first day of May 1917 at 7-30 o'clock A.M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Selectmen for Delegates to the Constitutional Convention

16 Delegates at Large

4 Delegates from the 13th Congressional Dist.

2 Delegates from the 9th Representative District

All the above candidates are to be voted for upon one ballot.

Each voter may vote for sixteen candidates at large; four candidates by Congressional districts and two candidates by Representative Districts.

The Polls will be open from 7-30 o'clock A.M. and may be closed at 3 o'clock P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting and by publishing the same in the Northborough Chronicle as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this thirteenth day of April A.D. 1917.

Raymond H Emerson } Selectmen
Frances V Hamlon } of
Lyman Tolles } Southborough

Southborough May 1, 1917

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting, and by causing the same to be Published in the Southborough Chronotype as directed by vote of the Town.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true Copy of Warrant
and Officers return thereon.
Attest:
Charles H Morton
Town Clerk

Election of Delegates to the Constitutional Convention
May 1, 1917.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the voters of Southborough qualified to vote in Elections met in the Town Hall at seven o'clock in the forenoon of May 1st 1917. The Town Clerk read the Warrant and the Constables return of service thereon.

The Election officers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of Andrew K. Sullivan, Harry A. Mc Master, Percy Allen, Edmund J. Newton, William H. Cuthbank, Henry M. Rogers, Timothy Bagley and James G. Stockwell were qualified by Francis D. Newton acting as presiding officer. Two were stationed at the Ballot Table Check list, two at the Ballot Box check list, one at the Ballot Box, the remainder acting as substitutes.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, Constable Hildreth closed and locked it, retaining the key.

The register on the Ballot Box showed 0000

Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt taken therefor

The Package was supposed to contain 550

Officers were stationed at the entrance to and exit from the Polls at seven o'Clock the Polls were declared open for voting until four o'clock.

At 2-15 P.M. all being agreed - they were, one hundred ballots taken from the Ballot box and counting of the Ballots cast was begun.

The Polls were closed at four O'Clock

Two hundred and four names of voters were checked as having deposited ballots.

Two hundred and four names of voters were checked as having deposited ballots in the Ballot Box.

The register on the Ballot Box showed

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There were a total of two hundred and four ballots taken from the Ballot Box.

The counting proceeded as by law directed and public declaration made as follows.

For Delegates at Large

Charles Francis Adams	of	Concord	had	138 votes
George W. Anderson	of	Brookline	had	64 votes
Albert A. Apsey	of	Cambridge	had	119 votes
Charles J. Barton	of	Melrose	had	101 votes
John L. Bates	of	Brookline	had	137 votes
William H. Brooks	of	Holyoke	had	111 votes
Walter A. Buie	of	Boston	had	44 votes
Charles F. Choate jr.	of	Northboro	had	167 votes
Charles W. Clifford	of	New Bedford	had	103 votes
George W. Coleman	of	Boston	had	62 votes
Louis A. Coolidge	of	Milton	had	117 votes
John W. Cummings	of	Salt River	had	126 votes
Edwin U. Curtis	of	Boston	had	122 votes
Daniel R. Donovan	of	Springfield	had	68 votes
Frank E. Dumbar	of	Lowell	had	101 votes
Samuel J. Elder	of	Winchester	had	117 votes
Wilmot R. Evans Jr.	of	Everett	had	153 votes
Eugene N. Foss	of	Boston	had	53 votes
Matthew Hale	of	Boston	had	72 votes
Arthur D Hill	of	Boston	had	75 votes
Patrick H. Jennings	of	Boston	had	48 votes
Abbott Lawrence Lowell	of	Cambridge	had	106 votes
Nathan Matthews	of	Boston	had	112 votes
James T. Moriarty	of	Boston	had	60 votes
Joseph B. Pelletier	of	Boston	had	64 votes
Josiah Quincy	of	Boston	had	64 votes
Moorfield Storey	of	Lincoln	had	10 votes
Charles B. Strecker	of	Boston	had	60 votes
Joseph Walker	of	Brookline	had	67 votes
David I. Walsh	of	Fitchburg	had	74 votes
Herman L. Whipple	of	Brookline	had	78 votes
George H. Wrenn	of	Springfield	had	75 votes

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For Delegates to Constitutional Convention 13th Congressional Dist.

Frederick L. Anderson	of Newton	had 67 votes
Charles A. Bird, Jr.	of Walpole	had 78 votes
Samuel S. Daley	of Brookline	had 74 votes
Henry L. Dennison	of Framingham	had 63 votes
Frederick W. Fitch	of Brookline	had 120 votes
Walton A. Green	of Weston	had 105 votes
Robert Luce	of Waltham	had 110 votes
Samuel E. Powers	of Newton	had 115 votes

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For Delegates to Constitution of Convention 9th Worcester Dist.

Joseph V. Gates	of Westborough	had 140 votes
John C. Lynch	of Milford	had 116 votes
John W. Flaherty	of Westborough	had 75 votes
Appleton P. Williams	of Upton	had 43 votes

Blanks 34

The ballots cast and the tally sheets used were sealed and signed as by law directed and the Election was duly dissolved.

Charles H. Wilson
Town Clerk

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Southborough May 4. 1917

To Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

The following employees of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board have this day been appointed special police without pay, for the protection of the water and of the structures holding and conveying the water at dams, aqueducts, etc., of the Metropolitan Water Works:

James W. Robbins, Matthew F. Coughlin, Erwin L. Smith, Patrick J. O'Reilly, Michael Pomphrey, William J. Fitzgerald, William Smiddy, Fred M. Dole, Joseph H. Madden, John Phillips, Earl E. Walker, John Legg, Peter Keaton, William E. Bagley, William Howes, Frank A. Salmon, Harvey Page, Timothy Dea and William F. Sullivan.

Your very truly
Chas H. Newton
Clerk of Board of
Selectmen.

The above named appointees appeared before me and made oath to the faithful performance of the duties covered by the above appointment.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk
of
Southborough

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss. Town of Southborough, 1917

In accordance with Chapter 176 of the Revised Laws and the Amendments thereto, We, the Selectmen of the Town of Southborough in said County, have prepared the following list of names of inhabitants of said town to serve as Jurors:-

Name	Occupation	P.O. Address	Residence Location
Boutilier, George F.	Mill operative	Southville	Southville Rd.
Brewer, Walter B.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Rd.
Burnett, George H.	Merchant	Southboro	Deerfoot Rd.
Burnett, John J.	Manufacturer	Southboro	Main St
Clark, Samuel F.	Farmer	Southville	Parkerville Rd
Draper, Allan H.	Carpenter	Cordaville	Framingham Rd.
Eaton, Harris W.	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Road
Follensby, Leyman	Farmer	Cordaville	Woodland Rd.
Field George F.	Merchant	Southboro	Clifford St.
Fildreth, Charles C.	Carpenter	Cordaville	Framingham Rd.
Fosmer, Aaron W.	Shipping Clerk	Southboro	Marlboro Rd.
Foward, Herbert B.	Apothecary	Southboro	Main Street
Fyfe, Albert F.	Janitor	Southboro	Main Street
Fyfe, Frank L.	Shoemaker	Southville	Parkerville Rd.
Ireland, Charles F.	Farmer	Southboro	Main Street
Lincoln, Harry R.	Farmer	Marlboro	Middle Rd.
McDonald, Thos. A.	Laborer	Southboro	Middle Road
McMaster, Harry A.	Salesman	Southboro	Chestnut Hill
Mitchell, Howard J.	Painter	Southboro	Leyman Street
Tufts, Charles C.	Retired	Southville	Wood Street
Ward Elwood W.	Decorator	Southboro	Cordaville Rd

R. H. Dodson
Leyman Follensby
Francis D. Newton
Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy
Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

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Selectmen's Office,
Town of Southborough

August 17 1917

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

This is to certify that a License is hereby granted to the following named persons while acting as Watchmen at the Sudbury Reservoir or elsewhere on or about the lands and waters of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board in the Town of Southborough:

James W. Robbins
Mathew J. Coughlan
James Oliver
Earl L. Russell
Enoch L. Smith
Peter Walton
Dominic Liporie
Patrick J. O'Reilly
Michael Pomphrey
Theodore R. Huntington
Stephen Farina
Carlo Aspesi
John Begg
Isaac Del Castello
Ben Sandrini

to carry a loaded pistol or Revolver, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 172. Acts of 1906 as amended under Chapter 350 Acts of 1908.

Raymond H. Dawson
Francis O. Newton
Lyman Rotherby
} Selectmen of Southborough

This permit to run during the pleasure of the Selectmen.

A true Copy.
Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town House in said Southborough

Tuesday, the Twenty-fifth day of September, 1917, at Seven o'clock P. M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officer for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following Officers

Governor	for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor	for this Commonwealth
Secretary of the Commonwealth	for this Commonwealth
Treasurer and Receiver General	for this Commonwealth
Auditor of the Commonwealth	for this Commonwealth
Attorney General	for this Commonwealth
Councillor	for 9th Councillor District
Senator	for 4th Worcester Senatorial District.
2 Representatives in General Court	for 9th Worcester Representative District

And for the Election of the following officers:

District Member of State Committee.
for each political party for the 4th Worcester Senatorial District.
five members of the Democratic town Committee.
five members of the Republican town committee.
Delegates to state conventions of political parties.
All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot.

The polls will be open from 7 oclock P.M. to 9 oclock P.M.
And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.
Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.
Given under our hands this seventh day of September, A.D. 1917.

Raymond H. Coveson
Francis D. Newton
Lyman Bottensby
} Selectmen of Southborough.

Southborough Sept. 25. 1917.

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies thereof, seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town, and have caused the same to be published in the Southborough Chronotype.

Charles E. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
and Officers return of service.
Attest;
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election September 25, 1917

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the Voters of Southborough qualified to vote in Primaries met in the Town Hall at seven o'clock in the evening of September 25, 1917.

Francis D. Newton acting acting as presiding Officer read the warrant and the constables return of service thereon.

The Election Officers previously appointed by the Selectmen consisting of Timothy Bagley, Harry A. McMaster, Adoniram J. Newton, William H. Outhank, Henry M. Rogers, James G. Stockwell and Andrew R. Sullivan were qualified by the Presiding Officer. Two were stationed at the Ballot Table Check list, two at the Ballot Box Check list, One at the Ballot Box the remainder acting as substitutes.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty. The Presiding officer ordered Constable Hildreth to close and lock the Ballot Box at once and to retain the key in his custody.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 0 0

Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

Officers (that is Constables) were stationed at the entrance to and Exhit from the Polls At seven oClock the polls were declared open, at nine-ten they were closed having been kept open at least two hours.

At the Ballot Clerks table 117 names of voters were checked as having received ballots and 117 names of voters were checked as having deposited ballots in the Ballot Box.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed 0 1 1 7

There were 117 ballots taken from the Ballot Box by the presiding Election Officer

108 Republican
14 Democratic
117 Total

The counting proceeded as by law directed and public declaration made as follows:

Republican Candidates

For Governor
Grafton D. Cushing 20 Chestnut St Boston had 9 votes
Samuel W. McCall Myopia Rd Winchester had 92 votes
2 blanks

Lieut Gov.
Calvin Coolidge of 21 Massasoit St Northampton had 92 votes
11 blanks

For Secretary
Albert P. Langtry of 40 Chestnut St Springfield had 94 votes
7 blanks

For Treasurer
Charles L. Burrill of 14 Somerset St Boston had 95 votes
8 blanks

For Auditor
Charles Bruce of 8 Forest Ave., Everett had 23 votes
Alonzo B. Cook of 19 Parkview St., Boston had 67 votes
13 blanks

For Atty. Genl
Henry C. Attwill of 59 Ocean Ave Lynn had 75 votes
Conrad W. Crooker of 195 Winthrop Rd Brookline had 16 votes
17 blanks

For Councillor 7th Dist
Walter B. Melley of Brookfield had 38 votes
Matthew J. Whitall of 692 Southbridge St Worcester had 42 votes
28 blanks

For Senator 4th Worcester District
George Fred Hart of 17 Negus St, Webster had 87 votes
16 blanks

Representatives in General Court 9th Worc. Dist.	Walter L. Collins of 64 Grove St. Milford	had 46 votes
	Charles W. Gould of 18 Grant St. Milford	had 35 votes
	Francis Prescott of 66 Upton Road, Grafton	had 79 votes
		76 blanks
County Commissioner Worcester	Warren Goodale of 148 Walnut St., Clinton	had 84 votes
		19 blanks
For State Committee	Stanley H. Wheelock of North Main St Uxbridge	had 88 votes
		20 blanks
For Delegates to State Convention	Augustus E. Wright of Turnpike Rd.	had 85 votes
	John L. Bacon of Latisquamy Rd.	had 88 votes
		38 blanks
For Town Committee	Charles N. Choate Jr. of Main St.	had 89 votes
	Francis D. Newton of Central St.	had 89 votes
	Augustus E. Wright of Turnpike Rd	had 85 votes
	Samuel D. Draper of Turnpike Rd	had 87 votes
	Robert A. Newton of Main St.	had 87 votes
		78 blanks

Democratic Candidates

For Governor	Frederick W. Mansfield of 15 Elmhill Ave. Boston	had 14 votes
		No blanks
For Lieut Gov.	Matthew Hale 9 Charles River square	had 7 votes
		7 blanks
For Secretary	Arthur B. Reed 443 Adams St. Abington	had 6 votes
		8 blanks
For Treasurer	Humphrey O'Sullivan 105 Battenfield Street Lowell	had 6 votes
		8 blanks
For Auditor	Edgean Choquette of 8 Robeson St. New Bedford	had 6 votes
		8 blanks

For Atty Genl. Josiah Quincy of 7 Charles River Sq. Boston had 2 votes
8 blanks

For Councillor

14 blanks

For Senator

14 blanks

For 2 Rep — Genl Ct. William A. Murray of 19 Granite St. Milford had 11 votes
John J. Sheehan of 32 High St. Westboro had 12 votes
5 blanks

For County Commissioner

14 blanks

For State Committee

14 blanks

For Delegate State Convention.

14 blanks

For Town Committee (vote for five)

John E. Welch	had 6 votes
S. H. Howes	had 6 votes
Chas. Bagley	had 6 votes
Daniel Harrington	had 6 votes
Francis McNeil	had 6 votes
James Burke	had 1 vote
Patrick O'Reilly	had 1 vote
M. R. Maley	had 1 vote

6½ blanks

The Ballots cast were sealed in packages, the tally sheets signed, and the Primary Election was duly dissolved.

Charles H. Hewitson
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss
To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough.
Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in Elections, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Tuesday, the 6th day of November

next at 6.30 of the clock in the forenoon Then and there to bring in their votes to the Selectmen for: Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Councillor, Senator, Two Representatives in General Court, County Commissioner, and to vote "Yes" or "No" on the following questions:

Article of Amendment No. 1.

The General Court shall have power to provide by law for voting by qualified voters of the Commonwealth who, at the time of an election, are absent from the city or town of which they are inhabitants, in the choice of any officer to be elected or upon any question submitted at such election.

Article of Amendment No. 2.

Article XVIII. Section 1. No law shall be passed prohibiting the free exercise of religion.

Section 2. All moneys raised by taxation in the towns and cities for the support of public schools, and all moneys which may be appropriated by the Commonwealth for the support of common schools shall be applied to, and expended in, no other schools than those which are conducted according to law, under the order

and superintendence of the authorities of the town or city in which the money is expended; and no grant, appropriation or use of public money or property or loan of public credit shall be made or authorized by the commonwealth or any political division thereof for the purpose of founding, maintaining or aiding any school or institution of learning, whether under public control or otherwise, wherein any denominational doctrine is inculcated, or any other school, or any college, infirmary, hospital, institution or educational, charitable or religious undertaking which is not publicly owned and under the exclusive control, order and superintendence of public officers or public agents authorized by the commonwealth or federal authority or both, except that appropriations may be made for the maintenance and support of the Soldier's Home in Massachusetts and for free public libraries in any city or town, and to carry out legal obligations, if any, already entered into: and no such grant, appropriation or use of public money or property or loan of public credit shall be made or authorized for the purpose of founding, maintaining or aiding any church, religious denomination or society.

Section 3. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the commonwealth, or any political division thereof, from paying to privately controlled hospitals, infirmaries, or institutions for the deaf, dumb or blind not more than the ordinary and reasonable compensation for care or support actually rendered or furnished by such hospitals, infirmaries or institutions to such persons as may be in whole or in part unable to support or care for themselves.

Section 4. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to deprive any inmate of a publicly controlled reformatory, penal or charitable

institution of the opportunity of religious exercises therein of his own faith; but no inmate of such institution shall be compelled to attend religious services or receive religious instruction against his will, or, if a minor, without the consent of his parent or guardian.

Section 5. This amendment shall not take effect until the October first next succeeding its ratification and adoption by the people.

Article of Amendment No 3.

The maintenance and distribution at reasonable rates, during time of war, public exigency, emergency or distress, of a sufficient supply of food and other common necessaries of life and the providing of shelter, are public functions, and the commonwealth and the cities and towns therein may take and provide the same for their inhabitants in such manner as the general court shall determine.

The votes for governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Councillor, Senator, Two Representatives in General Court, County Commissioner and the questions to be answered by "Yes" or "No" to be on one ballot.

The Polls will be opened at 6.30 of the clock in the forenoon and may be closed at 3.30 of the clock in the afternoon.

And you are to give notice hereof, by posting up true and attested copies of this warrant at the Town Hall, Depots, Post Offices and three other Public and conspicuous places in said Town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southborough Chronotype.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Selectmen at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this Nineteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Raymond H. Dodson
Francis D. Newton
Lyman Tollansby
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Nov. 6, 1917.

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies at the Town Hall, Depots, Post Offices, and three other public and conspicuous places in said town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and caused the same to be published in the Southborough Chronotype.

Charles C. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
and officers return of service.

Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk.

November Election 1917

In accordance with the preceding warrant the qualified voters of the Town of Southborough, met at the time and place, and for the purpose therein mentioned.

The meeting was called to order by Raymond H. Dawson Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who read the warrant and the officer return thereon.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers who had been previously aphointed by the Selectmen consisting of Henry M. Rogers, William H. Pritchard, A. R. Sullivan Thomas J. Collins, Harry A. Mc Master, Lar J. Stockwell Timothy Bagley and Adoniram J. Newton.

Appeared before Presiding Offier Dawson and were qualified (with the exception of Timothy Bagley who did not aphear)

A package supposed to contain 550 official ballots was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked by Constable Hildreth who retained the key.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers were stationed at their respective tables with their check lists, Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the Polling place, and at 6-30 A. M. the polls were declared open for ballots.

No register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 0 0

At ten O'Clock in the forenoon it was voted, The Selectmen, Town Clerk, and all the Election Officers being agreable, that ballots be taken from the Ballot Box in order that counting might commence.

At	10-00	A. M.	100	ballots	taken out
"	2-30	P. M.	50	"	" "
"	2-40	P. M.	60	"	" "
"	3-00	P. M.	60	"	" "
"	3-40	P. M.	25	"	" "
		Total	275	"	" "

The Polls were closed at 3-45 P.M.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed [2,7,5]
The Ballot Clerks check List showed 275 Names of Voters checked as having been given ballots.
Ballot Box clerks check list showed the names of 275 voters checked as having deposited their ballots.
When the counting of the ballots cast was completed, the Public declaration thereof was made as required by law, and was as follows:

For Governor

S. L.	James Hayes - of Plymouth	had no votes	0
P.	Chester R. Lawrence - of Boston	had no votes	0
D.	Frederick W. Mansfield - of Boston	had sixty-six votes	66
R.	Samuel W. McCall - of Winchester	had two hundred and three votes	203
S.	John McCarty - of Abington	had two votes	2
		Blanks 4	

For Lieut. Governor

R.	Calvin Coolidge - of Northampton	had one hundred ninety-seven	197
D. Proh. Prog.	Matthew Hale - of Boston	had fifty nine votes	59
S	Sylvester M. Reid - of Watertown	had four votes	04
S. L.	Fred E. Belcher - of Peabody	had one vote	01
		Blanks 13	

For Secretary

Proh.	Herbert L. Brown - of Greenfield	had six votes	6
R.	Albert P. Langtry - of Springfield	had one hundred and Eighty-six	186
S. L.	Ingvar Paulsen - of Boston	had no votes	0
D.	Arthur B. Reed - of Lexington	had sixty three votes	63
S.	Marion E. Sproule - of Lowell	had two votes	2
		Blanks 18	

For Treasurer

R.	Charles L. Burrill - of Boston	had one hundred and ninety two	192
Proh	Alton Lovett - of Beverly	had one	1
S	Frank A. Murphy - Lowell	had six votes	6
D.	Timothy J. Sullivan - of Lowell	had sixty-four votes	64
S. L.	Mary E. Peterson - of Kingsley	had no vote	0
		Blanks 12	

For Auditor

D.	Elzear H. Choquette - of New Bedford	had sixty eight votes	68
R.	Alonzo B. Cook - of Boston	had one hundred and eighty votes	180
S. L.	David Craig - of Milford	had no votes	00
S	Walley L. Peach - of Stockbridge	had two votes	2
Proh.	Henry G. Smith, Jr. - of Somerville	had three votes	3
		blanks 22	

For Attorney-General

R.	Henry C. Attwill - of Lynn	had one hundred and Eighty six	186
Proh.	Frank Auchter - of Belmont	had one vote	01
S	William R. Henry - of Lynn	had two votes	2
S. L.	Thomas J. Walker - of Medford	had one vote	1
D.	Josiah Quincy - of Boston	had ~~sixty~~ seven votes	67
		blanks 18	

For Councillor - Seventh District

S.	Artie J. Partay - of Fitchburg	had seventeen votes	17
R.	Matthew J. Whittall - of Worcester	had one hundred ninety Eight	198
		blanks 60	

For Senator - Fourth Worcester District

R.	George Fred Hart - of Webster	had two hundred and five	205
		blanks 70	

For two Representatives in General Court
Ninth Worcester District

R.	Charles W. Gould - of Milford	had one hundred and Eighty	187
D.	William A. Murray - of Milford	had seventy votes	70
R.	Francis Prescott - of Grafton	had one hundred and fifty nine	159
D.	John J. Sheehan of Westborough	had sixty-five votes	65
		blanks 69	

For County Commissioner

R.	Warren Goodale - of Clinton	had one hundred and seventy eight votes	178
		blanks 97	

Questions on the Ballot submitting to the voters

I Article of Amendment relating to absentee voting submitted by the Constitutional Convention

"Yes" One hundred and Eighty-four votes 184
"No" Twenty-seven votes 27

Blanks 64

II Article of Amendment relating to appropriations for educational and benevolent purposes submitted by the Constitutional Convention

"Yes" One hundred and seventy votes 170
"No" Forty-nine votes 49

Blanks 56

III Article of Amendment relating to the taking and distribution by the Commonwealth and its Municipalities of the ~~Commonwealth~~ necessaries of life, submitted by the Constitutional Convention.

"Yes" One hundred and Ninety votes 190
"No" Twenty Three votes 23

Blanks 62

Test the Election be dissolved
Charles L. Hewitson
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

Grafton, November 16 1917.

In compliance with Sections 322-325 inclusive of Chapter 835, Acts of 1913, We the Town Clerks of the towns of Grafton, Milford, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Upton and Westborough, which towns comprise the Ninth Worcester Representative District, this day met at the office of the town clerk in said Grafton, and canvassed the return of votes in said towns for two Representatives in the General Court, to be holden in Boston on the first Wednesday of January next. Said votes were returned to us as by law required and were given in at a legal meeting held in each of said towns for that purpose on the 6th day of November A.D. 1917. and was shown by the following tabular statement:

	Grafton	Milford	Shrewsbury	Southborough	Upton	Westborough	Total
Charles W. Gould of Milford had	426	697	262	187	206	449	2227
William A. Mahoney of Milford "	196	1236	50	70	70	180	1802
Francis Prescott of Grafton "	564	629	251	169	205	440	2148
John J. Sheehan of Westborough "	120	854	38	65	40	222	1339
Blanks	228	858	65	69	67	141	928
Total	1634	8174	666	560	588	1432	8444

Charles W. Gould of Milford and Francis Prescott of Grafton having received the largest number of votes, were declared elected.

and to them were certificates issued; also a duplicate certificate sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, as the law requires.

In Witness Whereof, We the Town Clerks of Grafton, Milford, Shrewsbury, Sharon, Southborough, Upton and Westborough, have hereunto set our names this sixteenth day of November 1917

Attest:

Edwin A. Howe — Town Clerk of — Grafton
Dennis J. Sullivan " " " Milford
George E. Stone " " " Shrewsbury
Charles H. Hewitson " " " Southborough
Francis J. Nelson " " " Upton
Joseph L. Gates " " " Westborough

A true copy
Attest:
Charles H. Hewitson
Town Clerk
Southborough

Warrant for Special Town Meeting.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough in said County.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Southborough, qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Tuesday November 20th instant at 7 of the clock in the afternoon then and there to act on the following articles.

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Article 2. To see if the Town will accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen on the layout of a way over the old discontinued way leading southerly from Oak Hill Road to Pine Street near the house of Harriet A. Walcott or do or act thereon.

Article 3. To see if the Town will authorize the Town House Committee to expend a sum of money for the better heating of the Town house or do or act thereon.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to give deeds or other papers necessary to confirm the sale and conveyance of the School House and land on Cheverly Rd. in Southville the School house and land on Woodland Road in Cordaville and the School house and land on Turnpike Road in Naguake, or do or act thereon.

Article 5. — To see if the Town will appropriate a further sum of money for the use of the Highway Surveyor or do or act thereon

Article 6 — To see if the Town will accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen on the layout and widening of the Southerly terminus of Chestnut Hill road or do or act thereon.

And you are hereby required to give notice of the time and place of said meeting by posting up a true and attested copy hereof as by law required seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Southborough Chronotype.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this eighth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Raymond H. Orrson
Francis D. Fenton
Lyman Follansby
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Nov. 20, 1917.

I have served this warrant by posting up attested copies as required by law, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting and have caused the same to be published in the Southborough Chronotype.

Charles E. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant and Officers return of service. Attest:

Charles H. Heaton
Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting November 20, 1917

In accordance with the preceding warrant the legal voters of Southborough met in the Town Hall at seven o'clock in the afternoon of November 20th. The Town Clerk read the Warrant and the Constables return thereon, and under

Article 1. Chose Seth H. Howes Moderator

Article 2. Voted, that the Town accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen on the layout of a way over the old discontinued way leading Southerly from Oak Hill road to Pine Street near the house of Harriet A. Walkup.

(To be known as Mill Road, see report of layout)

Article 3. Voted, to authorize the Town House Committee to expend the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars ($350.00) for the better heating of the Town House, money to be taken from funds now in the hands of the Town Treasurer.

Article 4. Voted to ratify and confirm all acts of the Selectmen heretofore done relating to the sale and conveyance of certain school houses and the lands connected therewith in the town located on Parkerville Road in Southville, Woodland Road in Cordaville and the Turnpike Road in Fayville together with all deeds relating thereto heretofore made and delivered by the Selectmen, whether such deeds were made in the name of the town or in the names of such Selectmen and if any such deeds were made in the names of the Selectmen they such deeds are hereby validated and confirmed as the act of the town as fully to all intents and purposes as if such deeds had been made in the name of the town with full authority, and if any

further deeds or instruments of conveyance are required in order to perfect the title in and to the premises above mentioned in the respective grantees or their assigns they the Selectmen are hereby authorized and empowered to make and deliver such deeds of conveyance, for and in the name of the Town.

Article 5 Voted that ($1300.00) thirteen hundred dollars be appropriated from money now in the hands of the Town Treasurer to pay outstanding bills in the Highway Department.

Article 6 Voted to accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen on the layout and widening of the Southerly terminus of Chestnut Hill road
(see report of layout as filed by Selectmen)

Voted to dissolve the meeting

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Local Moth Superintendent

Southborough, Jan. 4, 1918

To Chas. H. Newton, Town Clerk

The Selectmen of the town of Southborough have this day appointed Harry Burnett address Southboro, Mass. as Local Moth Superintendent of said town. This appointment is made subject to the approval of the State Forester.

Signed Charles H. Newton
Clerk, Board of Selectmen.

Date January 4, 1918

Approved

A copy
Attest:
Chas H Newton
Town Clerk

The Selectmen of the town of Southborough have this day appointed Harry Burnett address Southboro Mass as Forest Warden of said town. This appointment is made subject to the approval of the State Forester

Signed Charles H. Newton
Clerk, Board of Selectmen

Date January 4 1918.

A Copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Warrant for March Meeting 1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough, in said County.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Monday, March the 4th next at 6-30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1.—To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting

Article 2.—To choose all necessary Town Officers and Committees.

The votes for Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Selectmen, Assessor, Overseer of the Poor, School Committee, Town House Committee, Cemetery Commissioner, Trustees of the Pay Library, Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden, Constables, one member of the Board of Health, and two members of the Advisory Committee, to be on one ballot.

The following officers to be chosen by ballot: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Selectmen for three years, one member of the School Committee for three years, one Assessor for three years, one Overseer of the Poor for three years, Tree Warden, Highway Surveyor, three members of the Town House Committee, one member of the Cemetery Commission for three years,

one member of the Board of Health for three years two members of the Advisory Committee, two trustees of the Jay Library and Constables:

The polls will open at 6.30 o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon ~~of said day~~ for the election of officers to be chosen by ballot.

All other articles to be considered and business to come before this meeting will be taken up at 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

Article 3.— To vote by ballot yes or no, on granting license for the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Article 4.— To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Article 5.— To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the legitimate use of the Town and make appropriations of the same.

Article 6.— To determine the manner of collecting the taxes for the ensuing year, or do or act thereon.

Article 7.— To see if the Town will authorize its Collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Article 8.— To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the towards use, and fix any way respecting the same.

Article 9.— To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog Money, or do or act thereon.

Article 10.— To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the Town, and to prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town.

Article 11.— To see what action the Town will take to suppress the illegal use of intoxicating liquors, or do or act thereon.

Article 12.— To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifty dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 25, Section 15, of the Revised Laws, or do or act thereon.

Article 13.— To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, for defraying the expenses of Memorial Day, and repairing and decorating soldiers' graves.

Article 14.— To see if the Town will grant the free use of the Town House to the Military Company and to the Red Cross Association, or do or act thereon.

Article 15.— To see if the Town will provide for Play Grounds, or do or act thereon.

Article 16.— To see if the Town will appropriate any sum of money for Play Grounds and Swimming Pool, or do or act thereon.

Article 17— To see what action the Town will take, regarding Highway Surveyors pay, and wages of men and teams employed on the highway, or do or act thereon.

Article 18— To see what action the Town will take regarding drain for surface water over the Highway near the house of Mary Salmon, or do or act thereon.

Article 19— To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to be expended on the road lately laid out on Oak Hill.

Article 20— To appropriate such sum of money as may be necessary for street lights, or do or act thereon.

Article 21— To see if the Town will provide for the care of the Town Building in Fayville, or do or act thereon.

Article 22— To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General Court, as may be necessary to protect the interests of the Town, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 23— To see if the Town will increase the salary of the Tax Collector.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting up a true and attested copy thereof at the Town Hall Depot, Post Office, and three other public and conspicuous places in the Town, seven days at least before the day appointed for said meeting, and by publication in a newspaper, if any be published in the Town.

hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this fifteenth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

Raymond H. Overson
Lyman Tolles by.
Francis D. Hewtery
Selectmen of Southborough.

Southborough Mass. Mch. 4, 1918

I have served this warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies at the Town Hall, Depots, Post-Offices, and three other public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and have caused the same to be published in the Southborough Chronicle.

William Duncan
Constable of Southborough

A true Copy of Warrant and Constables return of service.
Attest:
Charles H. Hewtery Town Clerk.

Annual March Meeting 1918

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the legal voters of the Town of Marlborough met at the Town Hall at 6.30 o'clock in the forenoon of March 4th.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk who read the call and articles 1, 2 & 3 the meeting voting to dispense with reading of articles 4 to 23 inclusive of the Warrant.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen consisting of

W. H. Outhank	Andrew P. Sullivan
Thomas J. Collins	Allan H. Draper
James G. Stockwell	Jeff A. H. Howes
Joseph A. Creary	A. J. Newton,

were qualified by the Town Clerk, to be assigned to their various duties as needed.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the Polls, and under

Article 1 Chose Raymond H. Overton, Moderator by ballot.

An attested Check List was delivered to the Ballot Clerks and another to the Checkers at the Ballot Box.

A Package supposed to contain 500 official ballots for male voters and 200 official ballots (for School Committee only) for female voters, was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Moderator and his receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was opened and publicly shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked by Constable Philbrick who retained the key.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed 0000

The Moderator declared the Polls open at six-thirty o'clock A. M.

Article 5 Voted, by a rising vote twenty-nine in favor none against to raise the sum of ($58,965.00) ~~fifty~~ Fifty-Eight Thousand nine hundred sixty five dollars, and that the same be assessed upon the estates within the town, to pay town debts and charges (and that the assessors deduct all anticipated revenue before the tax rate is established) to be appropriated as follows:-

Voted to appropriate for General Government:

Selectmen	$ 650.00
Town Accountant	225.00
Treasurer	350.00
Collector	475.00
Assessors	630.00
Other finance accounts	10.00
Law Department	250.00
Town Clerk	200.00
Election & Registration	350.00
Town House care	1000.00
Town House repair	250.00
	$ 4340.00

Voted to appropriate for protection of persons and property:

Police	$ 300.00
Fire Department	800.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	125.00
Tree Warden	3500.00
	$ 4725.00

Voted to appropriate for Health and Sanitation

Board of Health	$ 500.00
Inspector of Animals	200.00
	700.00

Voted to appropriate for Highways

Highways	$ 7,500.00
" Under direction of Selectmen	1000.00
Street Lights	1725.00
	$ 10225.00

Voted to appropriate for Charities and Soldiers Benefits:

Poor	$2000.00	
State Aid & Sold's Relief	1000.00	
		$3000.00

Voted to appropriate for Education and Libraries

* Schools	$21000.00	
Trade Schools	150.00	
School Repairs	1000.00	
* Libraries	1700.00	
		$23 850.00

* To be interpreted as including ½ of the dog money.

Voted to appropriate for recreation and unclassified

Fayville Hall	300.00	300
Reserve Fund	2500.00	
Play Grounds	75.00	
Swimming Pool	50.00	
Common & Townhouse grounds	150.00	
Memorial Day	100.00	
G.A.R. Relief	50.00	
Printing and distributing Town Reports	200.00	$3.425.00

Voted to appropriate for Cemeteries

Cemeteries	$1500.00	$1500.00

Voted to appropriate for interest and maturing debt

Interest on Notes and bonds	$800.00	
Retire two Bonds	2000.00	
Retire two notes	1500.00	4300.00
		$58,965.00

Grand Total

Article 4 The reports of the various Town officers were each acted upon and accepted.

Under the Selectmens report it was voted to elect a Committee of three, two from the South part of the Town and one to be a member of the Board of Selectmen, this Committee to investigate further and report to the town at a special meeting on a building for the Fire Department at Southville.

The Meeting Elected

Eugene P. Bent
Thomas J. Collins
Raymond H. Overton

Voted that the Annual Reports of Town Officers as printed be accepted and adopted.

Article 6 Voted, that the collector proceed in legal manner as covered by statute.

Article 7 Voted, to authorize the collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a town treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Article 8 Voted, that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1918 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

(Total that may be borrowed not to exceed $35,000.00)

by a rising vote 41 in favor
None against

Article 9 Voted the dog money to the treasure to be credited equally to the Schools and the Library as part of and not in addition to the amount already appropriated.

Article 10 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the Town, and to prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town.

Article 11 Voted, to leave the suppression of the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors in the hands of the Selectmen.

Article 12 Voted, to pass the article as it is cared for under appropriations.

Article 13 Voted to pass this article, Cared for under appropriation

Article 14 Voted, to grant the free use of the Town House, the Public Hall in Dayville, and the School Hall at Southville, to the Military Company, to the Red Cross Association and to any other Patriotic organization or any other Patriotic purpose.

Article 15 Voted to pass
Article 16 Voted to pass
} that is no appropriation made

Article 17 Voted to pass this article (after the clerk had read the vote of the previous year)

Article 18 Voted to leave the matter of drainage for surface water on the Highway near the house of Mary Salmon, in the hands of the Selectmen Expense incurred to be taken from the $1000.00 special highway appropriation.

Article 19 Voted to pass this article as there is an unexpended balance to be used for this purpose

Article 20 Voted to Park, cared for under appropriation.

Article 21 Voted to leave in hands of the Selectmen to appoint a Committee of three.

Article 22 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to represent the town before the General Court as may be necessary to protect the interests of the Town.

Article 23 Voted, to increase the salary of the Tax Collector from two hundred dollars, to three hundred dollars annually.

Article 14 Continued Under this article the following proclamation from His Excellency Samuel W. McCall, Governor was read by the Clerk.

A Proclamation

In order that Massachusetts may do her full part in rendering aid to the National Government, I urge that everyone assist so far as he is able by the buying of

War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps

The opportunity thus afforded, not only to help by lending a portion of our savings to the country but at the same time to obtain securities with the credit and resources of the United States behind them, should not be neglected.

It is not given to all to serve upon the battle field, but it is given to all to serve the country in some way, and in no way more effectively can those who are not at the front serve than by the purchase of War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps. The elimination of wasteful expenditure and the inculcation of thrift should be ever present, but at this time it serves the double purpose of helping the country and

the individual.

I urge our people to do all in their power to encourage the development of War Savings to the end that its importance may be more generally realized, the advantages of thrift may be obtained for us and our country may receive the help of which she stands in need.

"Economy makes happy homes and sound nations; instill it deep!"

Given at the Executive Chamber in Boston, this twenty-second day of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand, nine hundred and eighteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the one hundred and forty-second.

By His Excellency, the Governor

Samuel W. McCall.

Albert P. Langtry,

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

God Save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Thereupon it was voted,

Resolved that we, the citizens of this town in Town Meeting assembled, having before us the Proclamation of the Governor of this Commonwealth issued February 22nd 1918, will aid in carrying through by all means in our power, the War Savings plan put before the country by the Secretary of the Treasury.

Shortly after 12 o'clock Noon it was voted no further action be taken on any articles in the Warrant except those that deal with the election of Officers.

At 1-15 P.M. All the election officers being agreed it was voted to unlock the ballot box and take out 100 Mail ballots. This was done and the ballot box closed and locked.

The register at this time showed 0|2|9|01
At 2-30 P.M. 100 more ballots taken out.
at 3-30 P.M. 100 " " " "
at 3-45 P.M. 54 Women ballots " "

Voted Polls closed at 4.02 P.M.
Total ballots taken out 300 Men's
54 Women's

Register on Ballot Box showed 0|3|5|4
The Ballot Clerks check list showed the names of 300 male voters and 54 female voters checked as having been given ballots. and the check list at the Ballot Box showed the same number of men and women names checked as having deposited their ballots

The Ballots were counted as required by law and public declaration made as follows:

Article 2

For Town Clerk
sworn 3-4 by moderator } Charles H. Hewlon had two hundred fifty-five votes
Charles L. Fairbanks had one vote
74 blanks

For Town Treasurer
S. 3-9 Thomas E. Waldron had two hundred fifty-five votes
45 blanks

For Collector of Taxes
S- 8-2 Charles L. Fairbanks had two hundred fifty-three votes
47 blanks

For Selectmen for three years
Charles O. Wiesner had ninety-seven votes
S-3-15 Francis D. Newton had one hundred ninety-five votes
8 blanks

For Assessor for three years
S-3-15 Fontinelle E. Carpenter had two hundred twenty four votes
10 blanks

For Overseer of the Poor for three years
S-3-9 Daniel F. Harrington had two hundred thirty five votes
E. A. Hyde had one vote
64 blanks

For School Committee for three years
Seth H. Howes had one hundred sixty-six votes
S-3-5 Charles M. Proctor had one hundred seventy-nine votes
10 blanks

For Town House Committee
S-3-6 Fred L. Baker had two hundred twenty-four votes
S-3-8 John J. Carpenter had two hundred twenty six votes
S-3-10 Albert E. Hutt had two hundred and five votes
E. A. Hyde had one vote
24 blanks

For Cemetery Commissioner for three years
S-3-5 Patrick M. Vahmon had two hundred and three votes
7 blanks

For Constables
S-3-4 Edward E. Chase had one hundred sixty-eight votes
S-3-4 William Duncan had one hundred fifty-two votes
S-3-15 Lyman Pollensby had one hundred sixty votes
S-3-4 Charles C. Hildreth had one hundred fifty-nine votes
S-3-9 Thomas A. McDonald had one hundred thirty-eight votes
Donald McLeod had one hundred twenty two votes
S-3-15 Francis D. Newton had one hundred sixty-four votes
S-3-9 Bartholomew W. Shea had one hundred twenty two votes
13 blanks

For Highway Surveyor
Silas G. Allen had fifty Eight votes
S-3-5 William Bland had one hundred forty three votes
Albert E. Hutt had ninety-two votes
7 blanks

For Tree Warden
Harry Burnett had two hundred twenty four votes
W.B. Gould had one vote
7 blanks

For Trustees of Library for three years (two Members)
Robert F. Cheney had two hundred and four votes
Charles L. Fairbanks had two hundred and eight votes
188 blanks

For Advisory Committee for three years (two members)
John J. Neary had two hundred and two votes
S-3-29 Augustus E. Wright had two hundred twenty one votes
177 blanks

For Board of Health for three years
John L. Bacon had two hundred seventeen votes
83 blanks

For
The following officers were elected by nomination from the floor.

Measurers of Wood and Bark
Paul L. Lincoln S-4-1 We C Linton Nichols
Marcus B. Jackson

Surveyor of Lumber
Chas. L. Parmenter S-4-1 We C Linton Nichols

Public Weighers
Marcus B. Jackson S-4-1 We C Linton Nichols

Field Drivers
Daniel Brookings Henry H. Cheney
S. Nov. 6, 1918 William H Cuthbank Leander W. Newton

Pound Keeper
S. Oct. 11, 1918 Henry Newton

Fence Viewers

8-3-15 Seymour Hollenbeck — 8-3-14 Raymond H. Gibson
J. D. Cameron Bradley — Charles F. Leland

Voted to leave the appointment of
Hog Reef in the hands of the Selectmen

Article 3 For Licenses to sell Intoxicating Liquors

Yes	70
No	181
Blanks	44

After the announcement was made, the ~~Tally~~ sheets and ballots used, were tied in packages properly sealed and signed as by law required, and it was voted to dissolve the meeting.

Charles H. Hewitt
Town Clerk

Appointments 1918

Southborough May 15, 1918

To Chas. F. Newton
Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

The Selectmen have made the following appointments:-

Karlen H. Newton Clerk of Board at a salary $50.00

Mary G. Fitzgerald — Public Weigher
Jas. G. Stockwell — Public Weigher

John Healey — Public Weigher of Coal

S-4-1

De Clinton Nichols — Public Weigher
Edward C. Nichols — Weigher of Coal

S-5-14

Allen H. Draper — Registrar of Voters for 3 years
Samuel F. Draper — Burial Agent

S-4-17

Charles P. Misener — Special Police for St. Mark's School Property
Edward E. Chase — Dog Officer

Albert E. Hutt — Fire Wardens
Charles C. Hildreth — " "
Daniel F. Kelley — " "
Eugene P. Dent — " "
Parker Newman — " "

William Smiddy, Fred M. Dole — Special Police without pay for protection of Waters of Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board in the Town of Southboro

Lucien B. Jackson — Special Police without pay at the Station of the N.Y.N.H. & H.R.R. at Cordaville

S-3-29 John D. Burnett — Special Police without pay
Michael R. Maley — Special Police without pay for the Market school property

S-4-2 Willard C. Simpson — Special Police without pay

S-4-2 Willard C. Simpson — Sealer of Weights and Measures

S-4-19 William H. Outhank — Inspector of animals — Approved May 7 by Water Board Commissioner

Francis Wright
Josiah True
Samuel D. Draker — Committee for Care of Mayville Hall

Frederick A. Richtmier
Douglas Ulman
Andrew R. Sullivan — Committee on Play Grounds

Yours very truly
Wm. F. Fawcett
Clerk of Board

All of the above committees were duly notified by letter.

Charles L. Fenton
Town Clerk

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Southborough Apr. 19, 1918

To Chas. H. Newton, Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day, upon the petition of Chas. E. Haberstroh, supt. of Sudbury Dept. it was voted;

That the following employees be appointed special police, without pay, for the protection of the water and of the structures holding and conveying the water, as dams, aqueducts, Etc., of the Metropolitan Water Works:

	James W. Robbins	Matthew A. Coughlon	
S-5-7	Erwin L. Smith	Patrick J. O'Reilly	S-5-24
	Michael Dompkey	Wm Smiddy	
S-5-4	Fred M. Dole	John Phillipho	S-5-4
S-5-6	Earl E. Walker	John Begg	S-5-6
S-5-4	Peter J. Dalton	Monk L. Talmon	
S-5-4	Bartholomew O'Keefe	Wm F. Sullivan	
S-5-4	Daniel Finley	John A. Hosmer	S-5-4
S-5-4	Edward F. Lennon	Thomas F. McDonald	S-5-9
S-5-4	Valory Martin	John J. O'Brien	S-5-4
S-5-4	Theo. R. Huntington	John H. Passmore	
S-5-4	James F. Kelley	Cleveland R. Parker	S-5-4

Yours truly

Chas. H. Newton
Clerk
Board of Selectmen

A Copy, Attest:

Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk

Under petition of Apr 29, 1918 John D. Meskell, was appointed special police without pay, for the protection of the water and structures of the Metropolitan Water Works.

Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

Upon petition of June 11, 1918 Michael J. Kenney was appointed special police without pay for the protection of the waters and structures of the Metropolitan Water Works. (Framing, June 21 1918)

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss: Town of Southborough July 5, 1918

In accordance with Chapter 176 of the Revised Laws and the Amendments thereto, We, the Selectmen of the Town of Southborough in said County, have prepared the following list of names of inhabitants of said Town to serve as Jurors:—

Name	Occupation	Postoffice	Residence
Boutilier, George F.	Millspeaking	Southville	Residence Southboro Southville Rd
Brewer, Walter B.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Rd.
Burnett, George H.	Merchant	Southboro	Deerfoot Rd.
Burnett, John T.	Manufacturer	Southboro	Main St.
Draper, Allen H.	Carpenter	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.
Ealey, Harris D.	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Rd.
Green, Walter	Farmer	Southboro	Woodland Rd.
Hinchliffe, James J.	Carpenter	Southboro	Lyman St.
Hildreth, Charles C.	Carpenter	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.
Hosmer, Aaron W.	Machinist	Southboro	Marlboro Rd.
Howard, Herbert B.	Apothecary	Southboro	Cordaville Rd.
Howes, Seth H.	Manager	Southboro	East Main St.
Hutt, Albert E.	Farmer	Southboro	Middle Rd.
Hyde, Albert F.	Janitor	Southboro	Main St.
Kinnahan, Joseph W.	Farmer	Southboro	Richards Rd.
Ritz, Lisa A.	Carpenter	Cordaville	Richards Rd.
Lincoln, Harry K.	Farmer	Westboro	Turnpike Rd.
Smith, William L.	Farmer	Cordaville	Richards Rd
Willard, Albert A.	Mechanic	Fayville	Central St.
Wright, Augustus E.	Salesman	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.
Wrye, Wallace M.	Painter	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.

Raymond H. Woodward
Lyman Rollenby
Francis D. Hemenway
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true Copy. Attest;

Charles H. Hemenway
Town Clerk

Public Weigher appointed

To Chas. H Hewton Town Clerk

Southborough Aug. 16, 1918

You are hereby notified that Edgar M. Smith has been appointed a Public Weigher

Yours very truly

Selectmen of Southboro

by Chas H Hewton Town Clerk

Southborough Aug. 16, 1918

Personally appeared before me Edgar M. Smith who made oath to the faithful performance of the duties of a Public Weigher as above appointed.

Charles H Hewton
Town Clerk

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough

Greeting!

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in

Town Hall Southborough

Tuesday, the twenty-fourth day of September, 1918, at seven o'clock P.M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor	for this Commonwealth.
Lieutenant Gov.	for this Commonwealth
Secretary of the Commonwealth	for this Commonwealth
Treasurer and Receiver General	for this Commonwealth
Auditor of the Commonwealth	for this Commonwealth
Attorney-General	for this Commonwealth
U.S. Senator in Congress	for this Commonwealth
Congressmen	for 13th Congressional Dist.
Councillor	for 7th Councillor District
Senator	for 7th Worcester Senatorial District
Two Representatives in General Court	for said Representative District
County Commissioner	for Worcester County
County Treasurer	for Worcester County
Register of Probate and Insolvency	for Worcester County.

And for the Election of the following Officers:

District members of State Committee for each political party for the 7th Worcester Senatorial District.

5 Members of the Democratic Town Committee

5 Members of the Republican Town Committee

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---- Members of the Socialist Town Committee
--- Delegates to State Convention of the Democratic Party
--- Delegates to State Convention of the Republican Party
---- Delegates to State Convention of the Socialist Party.

All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one Ballot.

The polls will be open from seven to nine P. M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested Copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this sixth day of September, A.D. 1918.

Raymond H. Gleason
Lyman Hollensby
Francis W. Newton
Selectmen of Southborough

Southboro Sept. 24, 1918

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Charles E. Hildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant and Officers return of service. Attest:

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election Sept. 1918

Southborough September 24th 1918.

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the Voters of Southborough qualified to vote in Primaries met in the Town Hall at seven o'clock in the evening of September 24th, 1918.

The Town Clerk acting for the presiding officer read the Warrant and the Constables return of service thereon.

The election officers previously appointed by the Selectmen, Consisting of Edward J. Fenton Andrew R. Sullivan, Harry A. McMasters William H. Outhank, James G. Stockwell, John F. Connery, and D. C. Nichols were qualified by the Town Clerk two were stationed at the Ballot Table check list Two at the Ballot Box Check list, One at the Ballot Box, the remainder acting as substitutes.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty. The presiding officer ordered Constable Fildreth to close and lock the Ballot Box at once and to retain the Key in his custody.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed [illegible]

Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exits from the Polls at seven o'clock the polls were declared open, at nine-four o'clock they were declared Closed, having been kept open at least two hours.

At the Ballot clerks table 120 names of voters were checked as having received ballots and 120 names of voters were checked at the ballot box check list as having deposited ballots in the Ballot Box.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed [illegible]

There were 120 ballots taken from the Ballot Box by the presiding Election Officer

56 Democratic
64 Republican
no Socialist

The counting proceeded as by law directed and public declaration made as follows;

Democratic Candedates

For Governor

Edward P. Barry of 69 Thomas Park Boston had 8 votes
William A. Gaston of 97 Bay State Rd had 33 votes
Richard H. Long of Winter Street Framingham had 12 votes
blanks 13

For Lieut. Gov.

Joseph H. O'Neil 122 Beaver St Boston had 10 votes
blanks 46

For Secretary

Charles H. McGlue 46 Suffolk St. Lynn had 7 votes
blanks 49

For Treasurer

Charles Giddings Cottage St Great Barrington had 7 votes
blanks 49

For Auditor

Francis M. Costello 805 Parker St, Boston had 7 votes
blanks 49

For Attorney Genl

Joseph L. P. St. Coeur 1298 Commonwealth Ave Boston had 6 votes
blanks 50

Senator in Congress

David I. Walsh of 520 Main St. Fitchburg had 38 votes
D. W. Lawson had 1 votes
blanks 17

Congressman 13th Dist.

Aloysius J. Doon of 42 West Central St. Natick had 31 votes
blanks 25

Councillor 7th Dist

No Candidate all blanks

Senator 7th Worc Dist

John E. Lewis of 7 Parker Hill Ave Milford had 36 votes
blanks 20

Rep in General Court 9th Worc Dist

Patrick C. J. Vacey of 47 York Boro St Milford had 37 votes
Albert E. Lewis of 15 High St Westboro had 36 votes
blanks 39

County Commissioner Worcester	Herbert L. Ray of Sutton	had 35 votes / blanks 18
County Treasurer Worcester Co	No Candidate	all blanks
Register of Probate and Insolvency Worcester Co.	No Candidate	all blanks
State Committee 4th Worc Dist	No Candidates	all blanks
Delegate to State Convention	Keith H. Howes	had two votes
	Thomas Hayden	had one vote
	J. V. Neary	had one vote
	J. E. Welch	had two votes
		blanks 50

Town Committee	Keith H. Howes	had 4 votes X
	James Burke	had 3 votes X
	John Welch	had 6 votes X
	J. V. Neary	had 3 votes X
	W. Boland	had 1 vote
	Dan Harrington	had 4 votes X
	Francis McNeil	had 1 votes
	Andrew Sullivan	had 2 votes
	Michael Maley	had 1 vote
	John Flannery	had 1 vote
	P. Salmon	had 1 vote
	C. Bagley	had 2 votes
		blanks 5

Republican Candidates

For Governor
Calvin Coolidge of 21 Massasoit th. Northampton had 62 voter
blanks 2

For Lieut Gov.
Channing H. Cox of 90 Kenway Boston had 88 voter
Guy Andrews Hom of Canton Ave Milton had 21 voter
blanks 5

For Secretary
Albert P. Langtry of 140 Chestnut th Springfield had 61 voter
blanks 3

For Treasurer
Charles L. Burrill of 14 Somerset th. Boston had 52 voter
Frank W. Thayer of 24 Aspinwall Rd Boston had 11 "
blanks 1

For Auditor
Alonzo B. Cook of 19 Parkview th. Boston had 56 voter
Alonzo P. Greinell of 219 Walnut th. Lynn had 8 voter
blanks 5

For Attorney Genl
J. Weston Allen of 219 Lake Ave Newton had 27 voter
Henry C. Attwill of 69 Oconbee Lynn had 32 voter
blanks 5

For Senator in Congress
John W. Weeks of 97 Valentine th. Newton had 60 voter
J. W. Dawson had 1 voter
blanks 3

For Congressman 18th Dist
Edwin O. Childs 340 California st Newton had 21 voter
Nathan A. Francis 66 Davis Ave Brookline had 7 voter
Robert Luce 33 Harris th. Waltham had 3 voter
blanks 5

For Councillor 7th Dist
Matthew J. Whittall 69 Southbridge th. Worcester had 60 voter
blanks 4

For Senator 4th Worc Dist
George J. Brunell of 18 Park st Webster had 14 voter
Francis Prescott of Old Upton Rd Grafton had 46 voter
blanks 4

Representative in General Court 9th Worc Dist	Charles H. Gould	of	15 Grandville	Milford
	Jeremiah F. Keating	of	14 La Mantia	Northbridge
	George H. Woodman	of	20 Ruggles St	Northbridge
County Commissioner Worcester	Arthur E. Moore	of	42 Chaplin St	Southbridge
County Treasurer	Edgar L. Ramsdell		15 Algonquin Rd	Worcester
Register of Probate and Insolvency	Harry H. Atwood		20 Berwick St	Worcester
State Com 9th Worc Dist	Stanley H. Wheelock	of	North Main St	Oxbridge
Delegates to State Convention	Raymond H. Dresser		Turnpike Rd	
	Samuel F. Draper		Hunter St	

Town Committee	Francis D. Newton		
	Charles H. Choate Jr.		
	Lyman Fallensby	{Howard Fallensby}	
	Samuel F. Draper		
	Augustus E. Wright		

The ballots cast were sealed in packages, the tally sheets signed, and the Primary Election was dissolved.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

The returns were made out and mailed to the Secretary of the Commonwealth on Thursday morning following the Election.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

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Southborough Oct. 4, 1918

To Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

The following named persons were appointed Election Officers to serve at the Annual Fall Election Tuesday November 5th 1918.

A. J. Newton
(declined by phone) John J. Burnett
John Mooney
Harry Mc Manley
Henry M. Rogers
William H. Outhouse
James G. Stockwell
Andrew R. Mullowon.

for Constables:

Tollenby & Hildreth

Yours very truly
Chas H. Newton
Clerk of Board

The above appointees were duly notified.
Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Warrant for November Election 1918

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough.
Precincts

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Tuesday, November 5th 1918

at six of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to bring in their votes to the Selectmen for:

Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Senator in Congress, Congressman, Councilor, Senator, Two Representatives in General Court, District Commissioner, Register of Probate and Insolvency, County Treasurer.

To vote "Yes or No" on the following articles of Amendment submitted by the Constitutional Convention.

Article of Amendment No. 1.

The establishment of the popular initiative and referendum, and the legislative initiative of specific amendments of the Constitution.

Article of Amendment No. 2.

The conservation, development and utilization of the agricultural, mineral, forest, water and other natural resources of the Commonwealth are public uses, and the general Court shall have power to provide for the taking, upon payment of just compensation therefor, of lands and easements or interests therein, including water and sewerage rights, for the purpose of securing and

promoting the proper conservation, development, utilization and control thereof and to enact legislation necessary or expedient therefor.

Article of Amendment No. 3.

Advertising on public ways, in public places and on private property within public view may be regulated and restricted by law.

Article of Amendment No. 4

The preservation and maintenance of ancient landmarks and other property of historical or antiquarian interest is a public use, and the Commonwealth and the cities and towns therein may, upon payment of just compensation, take such property or any interest therein under such regulations as the general court may prescribe.

Article of Amendment No. 5

The general court by concurrent vote of the two houses, may take a recess or recesses amounting to not more than thirty days; but no such recess shall extend beyond the sixtieth day from the date of their first assembling.

Article of Amendment No. 6

To authorize the General Court to prescribe, subject to certain restrictions, the manner of the appointment and removal of military and naval officers to be commissioned by the Governor.

Article of Amendment No. 7.

To define the powers and duties of the General Court relative to the military and naval forces, and of the Governor as Commander-in-Chief thereof.

Article of Amendment No 7

To provide for the succession, in cases of vacancies in the offices of Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, by the secretary, attorney-general, treasurer and receiver-general, and auditor in the order named.

Article of Amendment No 9.

To authorize the Governor to return to the General Court with a recommendation for amendment bills and resolves which have been laid before him.

Article of Amendment No 10.

Article IV of the articles of amendment of the Constitution of the Commonwealth is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words:- Women shall be eligible to appointment as notaries public. Change of name shall render the commission void, but shall not prevent reappointment under the new name.

Article of Amendment No 11.

(Relative to the Retirement of Judicial Officers)

Article I of Chapter III of Part the Second of the constitution is hereby amended by the addition of the following words:- and provided also that the governor, with the consent of the council, may after due notice and hearing retire them because of advanced age or mental or physical disability. Such retirement shall be subject to any provisions made by law as to pensions or allowances payable to such officers upon their voluntary retirement.

Article of Amendment No 12.

Every charter, franchise or act of incorporation shall forever remain

subject to revocation and amendment.

Article of Amendment No. 13.

The general court shall have power to limit buildings according to their use or construction to specified districts of cities and towns.

Article of Amendment No. 14.

The general court shall have authority to provide for compulsory voting at elections, but the right of secret voting shall be preserved.

Article of Amendment No. 15.

To limit the power of the General Court to lend the credit of the Commonwealth and to contract loans.

Article of Amendment No. 16.

To provide for a state budget and the veto by the Governor of items or parts of items in appropriation bills.

Article of Amendment No. 17

To provide for biennial elections of state officers, Councillors and members of the General Court.

Article of Amendment No. 18.

No person elected to the general court shall during the term for which he was elected be appointed to any office created or the emoluments whereof are increased during such term, nor receive additional salary or compensation for service upon any recess committee or commission except a committee appointed to examine a general revision of the statutes of the Commonwealth when submitted to the general court for adoption.

Article of Amendment No. 19.

On or before January first nineteen hundred twenty-one, the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth shall be organized in not more than twenty departments, in one of which every executive and administrative office, board and commission, except those officers serving directly under the Governor or the Council, shall be placed. Such departments shall be under such supervision and regulation as the general Court may from time to time prescribe by law.

The votes for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Senator in Congress, Congressman, Councillor, Senator, Representatives in General Court, County Commissioners, County Treasurer, Register of Probate and Insolvency, and the questions to be answered by "Yes" or "No" to be on one ballot.

The polls will be opened at six O'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at 3-30 of the clock in the afternoon of said day.

And you are to give notice hereof by posting up this and attested copies of this warrant at the Town Hall, Depots, Post Offices, and other public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Northborough Enterprise.

Hereof fail not and make due
return of this warrant with your doings
thereon to the Electrics at the time and
place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this
eighteenth day of October in the year
of our Lord, one thousand nine
hundred and eighteen.

Raymond H. Overoy
Lyman Rollenby
Francis D. Newton
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Nov. 5, 1918

I have served this warrant as
herein directed by posting up true
and attested copies at the Town Hall.
Depots, Post Offices, and three other
public and conspicuous places in
said Town seven days at least before
the time set for said meeting and
have caused the same to be published
in the Southborough Chronicle.

Charles L. Fildreth
Constable of Southborough

A true copy of Warrant
and Officers return of service.

Attest:
Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

November Election 1918

In accordance with the preceding warrant the voters of Southborough qualified to vote in elections, met at the time and place and for the purpose therein mentioned.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk who read the warrant (excepting the articles of Amendment) and the Officers returns of service thereon.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers previously chosen by the Selectmen; Consisting of

A. J. Newton	Henry M. Rogers
John J. Neary	William H. Sullivan
John F. Carpenter	James F. Stockwell
Harry A. McMaster	Andrew P. Sullivan

were qualified before the Town Clerk

A package supposed to contain 550 blank ballots was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked by Constable Sullivan who retained the key.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers took stations at their respective tables with their check lists & counter tables were stationed at the entrance & and exits from the polling place, and at 6 o'clock A.M. the polls were declared open for ballot.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed [illegible]

At Nine forty-five o'clock in the forenoon it was voted The Selectmen, Town Clerk, and all the Election Officers being agreeable, that ballots be taken from the Ballot Box in order that counting might commence.

at 9.45	A.M.	100 ballots taken out
9.52	a.m	Ballot box closed & locked
2-10	P.M.	100 ballots taken out
3-52	P.M.	94 ballots taken out
		294 Total ballots taken out

The Polls were closed at 3:52 P.M.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed 0298

The Ballot Clerks Check List showed the names of 294 Voters checked as having been given ballots.

Ballot Box Clerks check list showed the names of 293 Voters checked as having deposited their ballots.

When the counting of the ballots cast was completed, public declaration thereof was made as required by law, and was as follows:

For Governor

R.	Calvin Coolidge - of Northampton.	had one hundred ninety Two votes	192.
D.	Richard H. Long - of Framingham.	had ninety-six votes	96
S	Sylvester J. McBride - of Watertown	had one vote	1
S.L.	Ingvay Paulsen - of Boston	had not voted	0
		blanks	05

For Lieutenant Governor

R.	Channing H. Cox - of Boston	had one hundred eighty-four votes	184
S.L.	Oscar Kinsalan - of Springfield	had five votes	5
D.	Joseph F. O'Neil - of Boston	had ninety-seven votes	97
		blanks 8	

For Secretary

R.	Albert P. Langtry - of Springfield	had one hundred eighty-six votes	186
D.	Charles H. McGlue - of Lynn	had ninety-one votes	91
S.L.	William Taylor - of Worcester	had one vote	01
		blanks 16	

For Treasurer

R.	Charles L. Burrill - of Boston	had one hundred Eighty-seven votes	187
D.	Charles Giddings - of Great Barrington	had Eighty-Eight votes	88
S.L.	Mary E. Peterson - of Somerville	had one vote	1
		blanks 18	

For Auditor

R.	Alonzo B. Cook - of Boston	had one hundred Eighty-three votes	183
D.	Francis M. Costello - of Boston	had eighty-nine votes	89
S.L.	Fred E. Pelchey - of Peabody	had no votes	00
		blanks 22	

For Attorney-General

R.	Henry C. Attwill - of Lynn	had one hundred eighty-eight votes	188
S.L.	Morris A. Beckey - of Chelsea	had three votes	03
D.	Joseph L. P. H. Creeny of Boston	had eighty-one votes	81
		blanks 22	

For Senator in Congress

Ind.	Thomas W. Dawson - of Saturday	had sixteen votes	16
D.	David A. Walsh - of Fitchburg	had one hundred and four votes	104
R.	John W. Weeks - of Newton	had one hundred seventy-one votes	171
		blanks 9	

For Congressman - third district

D.	Aloysius J. Doon - of Natick	had one hundred two votes	102
R.	Robert Luce of Waltham	had one hundred seventy-four votes	174
		blanks 17	

For Councillor (seventh District)

D.	— —		
R.	Wm. Atherton Whitpall - of Worcester	had two hundred six votes	206
		blanks 88	

For Senator - County Worcester dist.

R.	Francis Prescott - of Grafton	had one hundred eighty-two votes	182
D.	John E. Wright - of Milford	had seventy-one votes	71
		blanks 21	

For Representatives in General Court - Worcester dist.

D.	Patrick C. J. Dacey - of Milford	had eighty-one votes	81
R.	Charles W. Good - of Milford	had one hundred seventy-two votes	172
R.	Jeremiah P. Keating - of Westboro	had one hundred seventy-three votes	173
D.	Albert E. Lewis - of Westboro	had seventy-three votes	73
		blanks 89	

For County Commissioner

Worcester County

R	Arthur C. Moore - of Southbridge	had one hundred eighty-one votes	181
D.	Herbert L. Ray - of Sutton	had eighty-one votes	81
		blanks 32	

For County Treasurer

Worcester County

R.	Edgar L. Ramsdell - of Worcester	had two hundred three votes	203
		blanks 83	

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For Register of Probate and Insolvency
Worcester County

R. Harry H. Attwood of Worcester had two hundred one votes 201
Hawkes 96

Articles of Amendment

Amendment No. 1.
Yes One hundred votes 100
No One hundred thirty three votes 133
Hawkes 61

Amendment No. 2.
Yes One hundred and three votes 103
No Eighty-nine votes 89
Hawkes 102

Amendment No. 3
Yes One hundred and forty-two votes 142
No Fifty-nine votes 59
Hawkes 93

Article of Amendment
No 4.
Yes One hundred twenty-six votes 126
No Fifty-nine votes 69
Hawkes 109

Amendment No. 5
Yes One hundred and two votes 102
No Sixty seven votes 67
Hawkes 120

Amendment No. 6
Yes One hundred and six votes 106
No Sixty seven votes 67
Hawkes 121

Amendment #07

Yes One hundred and ten votes 110
#0 Fifty seven votes 57

Number 129

Amendment #08

Yes One hundred and twenty votes 120
#0 Fifty seven votes 57

Number 177

Amendment #09

Yes One hundred and ten votes 110
#0 Fifty nine votes 59

Number 169

Amendment #0 10

Yes One hundred votes 100
#0 Seventy nine votes 76

Number 118

Amendment #0 11

Yes One hundred eight votes 108
#0 Fifty-seven votes 67

Number 129

Amendment #0. 12

Yes One hundred and four votes 104
#0 Sixty six votes 66

Number 124

Amendment #0. 13

Yes One hundred and five votes 105
#0 Sixty-two votes 62

Number 127

Amendment #0 14

Yes Eighty three votes 83
#0 Ninety seven votes 77

Number 114

Amendment No 15

Yes	One hundred four votes	104
No	Sixty votes	60
	Number 130	

Amendment No 16

Yes	One hundred eleven votes	111
No	Fifty two votes	52
	Number 131	

Amendment No 17

Yes	Fifty eight votes	58
No	Seventy three votes	73
	Number 126	

Amendment No 18

Yes	One hundred seven votes	107
No	Fifty three votes	53
	Number 134	

Amendment No 19

Yes	One hundred fourteen votes	114
No	Fifty six votes	56
	Number 124	

Voted this election dissolved

Chas. H. Newton

Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

Grafton, November 5, 1918

In compliance with Sections 322-325 inclusive of Chapter 835, Acts of 1913, we the Town Clerks of the towns of Grafton, Milford, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Upton and Westborough, which towns comprise the Ninth Worcester Representative District, this day met at the office of the town clerk in said Grafton, and canvassed the return of votes in said towns for two Representatives in the General Court, to be holden in Boston on the first Wednesday of January next. Said votes were returned to us as by law required and were given in at a legal meeting held in each of said towns for that purpose on the fifth day of November A. D. 1918, and was shown by the following tabular statement:

		Grafton	Milford	Shrewsbury	Southboro	Upton	Westboro	Total
Patrick C. J. Dacey of Milford	Rep	161	1070	41	81	64	107	1026
Charles W. Gould of Milford	"	431	631	245	172	203	447	2129
Jeremiah P. Keating of Westborough	"	434	650	236	173	167	478	2088
Albert E. Lewis of Westborough	"	157	909	65	73	68	297	1059
Blanks		261	469	103	89	76	224	1222
Total		1444	3634	680	588	578	1550	8474

Charles W. Gould of Milford and Jeremiah P. Keating of Westborough having received the largest number of votes were declared elected, and to them were certificates issued, also a duplicate certificate sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth as the law requires.

In Witness whereof, We, the Town Clerks of Grafton, Milford, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Upton and Westborough, have hereunto set our names this fifteenth day of November 1918.

Attest: Edwin A. Howe Town Clerk of Grafton
Dennis J. Sullivan " " " Milford
George E. Stone " " " Shrewsbury
Charles H. Newton " " " Southborough
John B. Day " " " Upton
Joseph A. Gates " " " Westborough

A true copy Attest: Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

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Public Safety Committee Dissolved

Southborough Mass. Dec 20, 1918

To Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

The war having ceased and armistice having been declared, We approve of the Disolution of the Committee of Public Safety of this town.

Selectmen of Southborough
by Chas. H. Newton Clerk of Board

A true copy, Attest;
Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk.

Local Meath Supt + Forest Warden

To Charles H Newton, Town Clerk, Southborough Jan 3, 1919

The Selectmen of the town of Southborough have this day appointed Harry Burnett, address - Southboro, Mass. as Local Meath Superintendant ~~of said~~ and Town Forest Warden of said town, This appointment is made subject to the approval of the State Forester.

Board of Selectmen

by Chas H. Newton, Clerk

Notice mailed State Forester Jan 6, 19

A true Copy, Attest

Chas H. Newton, Town Clerk

Harry Burnett's appt as forest Warden in this town, approved by State Forester Jan 24, 1919

Harry Burnett's appt as local Meath superintendant approved by State Forester Jan 30, 1919.

See letters of both dates

Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk

Southborough Feb 12, 1919

Personally appeared before me E L Smith who made oath to faithfully perform the duties of special officer for Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board as appointed by the Board of Selectmen.

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

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Southborough Feb 21st 1919

To Chas. H. Newton Town Clerk

Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following named persons were appointed Election Officers to serve at the Annual Town Meeting Monday Mar. 3rd next:

✓ William H Outhouse	✓ Andrew R. Sullivan
✓ Harry A. Mc Master	✓ Allan H. Draper
✓ Herbert W. Jones	✓ J. J. Neary
✓ Henry M Rogers	✓ A. J. Newton

for Constables notify Hildreth and Duncan

Yours very truly

Chas H Newton
Clerk of Board

The above appointees duly notified in writing

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Warrant for Annual Mar. Meeting 19

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss.

To either of the Constables in the Town of Southborough, in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Southborough qualified to vote in Elections and Town affairs to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Monday, March 9th Next

at 6.30 O'clock in the forenoon then and there to act on the following articles;

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary Town Officers and Committees.

The votes for Town Clerk Treasurer Collector, Selectmen, Assessor, Overseer of the Poor, School Committee — Town House Committee, Cemetery Commissioner, Trustee of the Pay Library, Highway Surveyor, Tree Warden Constables, one member of the Board of Health and two members of the Advisory Committee to be on one ballot.

The following offices to be chosen by ballot: Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Selectmen for three years, one member of the School Committee for three years one Overseer of the Poor for three years, one Assessor for three years, one Assessor for two years, Tree Warden, Highway Surveyor, three members of the Town House Committee one member of the Cemetery Commission for three years, one member of the Board of Health

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for three years, two members of the Advisory Committee, two trustees of the Day Library, and Constables.

The polls will be open at 6-30 O'Clock in the forenoon and may be closed at 3 o'Clock in the afternoon for the election of officers to be Chosen by ballot.

All other articles to be Considered and business to come before the meeting will be taken up at 9-30 O'Clock in the forenoon of said day.

Article 3. To vote by ballot yes or no, on granting license for the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Article 4. To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and do or act thereon.

Article 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the legitimate use of the Town and make appropriations of the same.

Article 6. To determine the manner of Collecting the taxes for the ensuing year, or do or act thereon.

Article 7. To see if the Town will authorize its Collector to use all means for Collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Article 8. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer to raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the town's use, and pass any vote respecting the same

Article 9. To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog money, or do or act thereon

Article 10. To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the town, and to prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town.

Article 11. To see what action the Town will take to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors, or do or act thereon.

Article 12 To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of fifty dollars to be expended by Post 44, Grand Army of the Republic, in accordance with Chapter 25, Section 11, of the Revised Laws, or do or act thereon.

Article 13. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars to be expended by Post 44 Grand Army of the Republic, for defraying the expenses of Memorial Day and repairing and decorating soldiers graves.

Article 14. To see if the Town will grant the free use of any of the Town Buildings to the Military Company or for any other patriotic purpose.

Article 15. To see if the Town will provide for Play Grounds, or do or act thereon.

Article 16. To see if the Town will appropriate any sum of Money for swimming pools or do or act thereon.

Article 17. To see if the Town will provide for the care of the Town Building in Dayville, or do or act thereon.

Article 18. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the General Court, as may be necessary to protect the interests of the Town, or pass any vote respecting the same.

Article 19. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to confer with the State Highway Commissioners regarding building of a State Highway over Marlboro Road from the Marlboro Road to Main Street, or do or act thereon.

Article 20. To see if the Town will increase the salary of the Town Clerk

Article 21. To see if the Town will instruct the Tree Warden to purchase a small spraying machine for the town, not to ~~cost~~ exceed the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars, or do or act thereon.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to sell the old gravel pit land on School St. to Saint Marks School or do or act thereon.

Article 23 To see if the Town will instruct the Highway Surveyor regarding draining water on land of Charles J. Hall or change of any drain or drain pipes on Cordaville Road near Main Street, or do or act thereon.

Article 24 To see if the Town will authorize its Selectmen to expend a sum of Money to celebrate the return of our Soldiers or do or act thereon.

And you are to give notice hereof,

by posting up true and attested copies of this warrant at the Town Hall, Depot, Post Office, and three other Public and Conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting, and by publishing the same in the Northborough Chronotype.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Selectmen at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

Raymond F. Cowdrey
Lyman A. Hollenby
Francis D. Hewitson
of Northborough

Northborough March 3rd 1916

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting up true and attested copies thereof at the Town Hall, Depot, Post Offices, and at three other public and Conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting and have caused the same to be published in the Northborough Chronotype.

Charles E. Fiddock
Constable of Northborough

A true Copy of Warrant
And officers return of service.
Attest:

Charles F. Fowler
Town Clerk

Annual March Meeting 1919

In accordance with the preceding warrant the legal voters of the Town of Southborough met at the Town Hall at 6-30 O'Clock in the forenoon of March 3rd.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk, who read the Call, and Articles 1, 2 & 3 and the Constables return of service the meeting voting to dispense with reading of articles 4 to 24 inclusive of the Warrant.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of

William H. Putnam	Andrew R. Sullivan
Harry A. McMaster	Allan H. Draper
Herbert W. Jones	J. J. Neary
Henry M. Rogers	A. J. Newton

were qualified by the Town Clerk, to be assigned to their various duties, as needed.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exhit from the Polls and under

Article 1 Chose Raymond H. Overton Moderator by Ballot.

An attested check list was delivered to the Ballot Clerks and another to the checkers at the Ballot Box.

A package supposed to contain 500 official ballots for Male voters and one hundred and twenty-five special ballots (for School Committee only) for female voters, was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Moderator and his receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was opened and publicly shown to be empty, it was then closed and locked by Constable Hildreth who retained the key.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed 0 0 0 0

The Moderator declared the Polls open at 6-30 O'Clock A.M.

Article 5 Voted, by a rising vote 45 in favor none against to raise the sum of ($59 415.00) fifty-nine thousand four hundred and fifteen dollars; and that the same be assessed upon the estates within the Town, to pay town debts and charges and that the ~~same be~~ assessors deduct all anticipated revenue before the tax rate is established.

To be appropriated as follows:

General Government:		
Selectmen	$ 500.00	
Town Accountant	225.00	
Treasurer	350.00	
Collector	475.00	
Assessors	500.00	
Other Finance Comte	10.00	
Law Department	250.00	
Town Clerk	300.00	
Election & Registration	350.00	
Town House Care	1000.00	
Town House Repairs	250.00	
		$ 4210.00
Protection of Persons & Property	$	
Police	300.00	
Fire	800.00	
Sealer of Weights & Measures	150.00	
Tree Warden & Moth	3500.00	
Special for Sprayer	225.00	
		$ 4,975.00
Health & Sanitation	$	
Health	500.00	
Inspection of Animals	200.00	
		$ 700.00
Highways	$	
General Repairs	8 000.00	
Selectmen, highway Fund	2 000.00	
Street Lights	4 725.00	
		$ 14,725.00

Charities + Soldiers Benefits		
State Aid	$750.00	
Poor Dept.	2000.00	
		$2750.00
Education + Libraries		
Schools	$21000.00 *	
Trade Schools	150.00	
School Repairs	1000.00	
Library	1700.00 *	
		$23850.00

* An amount not to exceed, including ½ doz tax.

Recreation + Unclassified		
Dayville Hall Bldg	$350.00	
Reserve Fund	2000.00	
Play Grounds	75.00	
Swimming Pool	100.00	
Common + Town House Exp.	150.00	
Memorial Day	100.00	
G.A.R. Relief	50.00	
Printing Town Reports	200.00	
		$3025.00
Cemeteries		
Cemetery	1700.00	
		$1700.00
Interest + Maturing Debt		
Interest on Notes + Bonds	$480.00	
Retire 2 Bonds	2000.00	
Retire 1 Note	1000.	
		$3480.00
Grand Total		$59415.00

Voted to pay the Highway Surveyor $5.00 per day for the time he works for five months of the year, and, to pay $7.00 per day for two horse team on highways.

Article 4 The reports of the various town officers were each acted upon and accepted.

Under Selectmen report it was voted to authorize last years Committee on Building for the Fire Department at the South Part of the town.

Last years Committee Was:

Eugene P. Bent
Thomas J. Collins
Raymond H. Iverson

This Committee to report at first town Meeting.

Voted, that the Annual Reports of town Officers as printed be accepted and adopted.

Article 6 Voted, that the Collector proceed in legal manner as Covered by statute.

Article 7 Voted, to authorize the Collector to use all means for collecting the taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Article 8 Voted, That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1919, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

(Total that may be borrowed not to exceed $30000.00)

by a rising vote 20 in favor
None against.

Article 9 Voted, the dog money to the Treasury to be credited equally to the schools and the library as part of and not in addition to the amounts already appropriated.

Article 10 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to defend any suits which may be brought against the Town, and to prosecute any suits in behalf of the Town.

Article 11 Voted, to leave in the hands of the Selectmen.

Article 12 Voted, to pass (cared for under appropriations)

Article 13 Voted, to pass (cared for under appropriations)

Article 14 Voted, to grant the free use of the Town House to the Military Company and for such other patriotic purpose as the Town House Committee shall approve.

Article 15 Voted, to pass (see appropriation)

Article 16 Voted, to pass (see appropriation)

Article 17 Voted, Selectmen appoint a Committee of three

Article 18 Voted, To authorize the Selectmen to represent the Town before the Federal Court, as may be necessary to protect the interests of the Town, or ~~pass any vote~~

Article 19 Voted, To instruct the Selectmen to confer with the State Highway Commissioners regarding building of a State Highway between Southborough and Marlborough.

Article 20 Voted, To increase the salary of the Town Clerk from one hundred and fifty to two hundred and fifty dollars per annum

Article 21 Voted, To instruct the Tree Warden to purchase a small Spraying Machine for the Town, not to exceed the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars;

Article 22 Voted, To leave in the hands of the Selectmen

Article 23 Voted, To leave in the hands of the Selectmen.

Article 24 Voted, To authorize the Selectmen to expend a sum of money to celebrate the coming of our Soldiers. Money to be taken from Retirement reserve fund.

At eleven forty-five A. M. it was Voted, No further action be taken on articles in the warrant except those that deal with the election of Town officers.

All the Election Officers and the Moderator being agreed it was voted to unlock the ballot box from time to time and take out ballots for counting.

The Polls were voted closed at 3-15 P.M.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed 253 Ballot Clerks check list showed 253 Names of Male voters and one female voter checked as having received ballots; The Clerks list at the Ballot Box showed the same number checked as having deposited ballots in the Ballot Box.

The Ballots were counted as required by law and public declaration made as follows;

Article 2

For Town Clerk

S.-3-3 Charles H. Newton had one hundred eighty-two votes (182)
Charles L. Hairbanks had one vote (1)

70 blanks

For Town Treasurer

S-3-6 Thomas E. Madeon had two hundred and six votes (206)

47 blanks

For Collector of Taxes

Charles L. Fairbanks, had one hundred and ninety votes 190
63 blanks

For Selectman for three years

S-3-7 Lyman Pollensby had one hundred thirty-eight votes
James G. Stockwell had one hundred and six votes
9 blanks

For Assessor for three years

S-3-12 Francis McNeil had one hundred thirty-four votes
Edgar M. Smith had one hundred two votes
17 blanks

For Assessor for two years

S-4-3 Eugene P. Dent had one hundred fifty-one votes
Ernest K. Shaw had seventy-one votes
31 blanks

For Overseer of the Poor for three years

S-3-6 Albert Keaton had one hundred and twenty-three votes
Samuel Clark had one hundred and four votes
25 blanks

For School Committee for three years

S-3-5 Samuel Clark had one hundred eighty-seven votes
67 blanks

For Town House Committee

S-3-7 John L. Carpenter had one hundred eighty-one votes
William Duncan had one hundred eighty-four votes
S-3-7 Albert E. Hutt had one hundred sixty votes
238 blanks

For Cemetery Commissioner for three years

Francis W. Keeton had one hundred sixty votes
98 blanks

For Constables

S-3-4 William Duncan had one hundred forty-six votes
S-3-7 Leyman Rollinsby had one hundred fifty-one votes
S-3-4 Charles C. Hildreth had one hundred forty-nine votes
Daniel F. Kelley had one hundred forty-one votes
S-3-7 Francis D. Newton had one hundred ninety-two votes
S-4-28 Bartholomew O'Neil had one hundred thirteen votes
650 blanks

For Highway Surveyor

S-3-5 William Boland had one hundred ninety-two votes
William F Gould had one vote
68 blanks

For Tree Warden

Harry Burrell had one hundred eighty-six votes
67 blanks

For Trustees of Library for three year two members

S-3-12 Patrick H. Boland had one hundred eighty-two votes
Paul A. Lincoln had one hundred ninety ninety-seven votes
127 blanks

For Board of Health for one year

Charles F. Choate Jr. had one hundred ninety-six votes
57 blanks

For Two member of Advisory Committee One year

Earl P. Lindstrom had one hundred ninety-four votes
Andrew P. Sullivan had one hundred eighty-three votes
148 blanks

Article 13 For Licenses

Yes 6-
No 141
there were 43 blanks

Article 2 The following officers were elected by nomination from the floor:

Measurers of Wood and Bark

Paul S. Lincoln — S-3-25 De Clinton Nichols

Marcus C. Jackson

Surveyors of Lumber

Charles L. Parmenter — S-3-25 De Clinton Nichols

Public Weighers

Marcus C. Jackson — S-3-25 De Clinton Nichols

Field Drivers

S-3-7 Edward Goodridge — S-3-7 Howard D. Miner

Charles N. Choate 3rd — Donald M. Leod

Pound Keeper

Henry Meeley

Fence Viewers

S-3-7 Lyman Tollesby — S-3-7 Raymond H. Livesey

J. L. Cameron Bradley — Charles N. Leland

After the announcement was made, the tally sheets and ballots used, were tied in packages properly sealed and signed as by law required, and it was voted to dissolve the meeting.

Charles H. Hemeon

Town Clerk

Newtonville, Mass. 19

To Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

Dear Sir: At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day the following appointments were made:

Clerk of Board of Public Weighers	Selectmen		Charles H. Newton
"	"		Mary G. Fitzgerald
"	"		James G. Stockwell
"	"	S-4-4	Edgar M. Smith
Weighers of Coal			Leo C. Nichols
"	"		Edward C. Nichols
S. Aug 15. 1919 Registrar of Voters for 3 years			Wm. A. O'Leary
Burial Agt. for Soldiers			Samuel F. Draper
Dog Officer			Williams Duncan
Fire Wardens			Albert E. Nutt
"	"		Daniel J. Kelly
"	"		Parker Tillman
"	"		Charles C. Hildreth
"	"		Eugene P. Dent

Sealer of Weights and Measures
Charles L. Fairbanks

Special Police without pay for St. Mark's property
Charles O. Misener

Special Police without pay on land of Metropolitan Water Board
William Smiddy
Fred M. Cole

Special Police without pay at Station and lands of

B & A. R. R. in Cordaville Warren D. Jackson

Special Police without pay John T. Burnett
Michael R. Maley

Committee for care of
Bayville Hall Building Francis Wright
Samuel A. Draper
Dana F. Kidder

Committee for care of
Play Grounds Frederick A. Flichtner
Douglas Ahlman
Andrew R. Sullivan

Special Police without pay
S-3-8 Robt. H. Johnson
Ocean Road

Charles H. Newton, Clerk Bd of Selectmen

A true Copy, Attest:
Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day, upon the petition of Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board for appointment of Special police without pay for the protection of the Water and Structures holding and Conveying the water as dams aqueducts &c.

The following named persons were appointed:

Sworn July 25, 1919 — James W. Morris
" — Erwin L. Smith
" — Matthew A. Geoghan
" — John J. Passmore
" — Patrick J. O'Reilly
" — Michael Fonsberg
Sworn week of June 2-7, 1919 — William Scuddy
Sworn " " " 2-7, 1919 — Fred M. Dole
" July 22, 1919 — John Phillipho
" — Carl E. Walker
S. June 30, 1919 — John Pegg, and
S. July 3, 1919 — John J. O'Brien,

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Southboro July 6 1919

To Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day, upon the petition of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board for appointment of special ~~officers~~ police without pay for the protection of the waters and structures of the Metropolitan Water Works in the town of Southborough.

The following named persons were appointed:

S-7-12 Michael J. Kenny
Jesse J. Curry
Charles M. Badger

Charles H. Newton
clerk of Selectmen

a true copy attest
Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester ss: Town of Southborough June 20, 1919

In accordance with Chapter 174 of the Revised Laws and the Amendments thereto, We, the Selectmen of the Town of Southborough in said County, have prepared the following list of names of inhabitants of said town to serve as Jurors:—

Name	Occupation	Postoffice	Residence, Southboro
Boutilier, George F.	Mill operative	Southville	Southville Rd.
Bradley, John W. C.	Manufacturer	Southboro	Sears Rd.
Brewer, Walter B.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Rd.
Burnett, George H.	Merchant	Southboro	Deerfoot Rd
Burnett, John J.	Manufacturer	Southboro	Main St.
Draper, Allan H.	Carpenter	Fayville	Winter St.
Eaton, Harris D.	Farmer	Southboro	Flagg Rd.
Green, Walter	Farmer	Southboro	Woodland Rd.
Hinchliffe, James J.	Carpenter	Southboro	Lyman St.
Hildreth, Charles C.	Carpenter	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.
Hosmer, Aaron W.	Machinist	Southboro	Marlboro Rd.
Hunt, Albert E.	Farmer	Southboro	Middle Rd.
Lincoln, Harry R.	Farmer	Westboro	Turnpike Rd.
Marston, Richard B.	Farmer	Cordaville	Cordaville Rd.
Neary, Philip P. J.	Broker	Southboro	Middle Rd.
Outhouse, William H.	Farmer	Southboro	Boston Rd.
Pinkham, Joseph W.	Farmer	Southboro	Richards Rd.
Ritz, Ira A.	Carpenter	Cordaville	Richards Rd.
Smith, Erwin L.	Electrician	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.
Smith, William L.	Farmer	Cordaville	Richards Rd.
Spurr, Harry B.	Farmer	Southboro	Northboro Rd.
Usman, Douglas H.	Farmer	Southboro	Central St.
Willard, Albert A.	Mechanic	Fayville	Central St.
Wright, Augustus E.	Salesman	Fayville	Oak Hill Rd.
Wrye, Wallace M.	Painter	Fayville	Turnpike Rd.

R. H. Overon
Francis D. Newton
Lyman Hollensby
} Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy. Attest: Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

Marlborough July 1 1917

At a meeting of the Selectmen held this day, upon the petition of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board for the appointment of Special Police, without pay, for the protection of the waters and structures of the Metropolitan Water Works,

The following named persons were appointed;

Michael J. Kennedy.
Jesse J. Curry.
Charles M. Badger.

Charles F. Newton,
Town Clerk

Primary Warrant Sept: 1919

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Worcester S.S.
To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town Hall in said Southborough

Tuesday, the 23rd day of September 1919,
at seven O'clock P.M.

for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of Candidates to Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor for the Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor " "
Secretary of the Commonwealth " " "
Treasurer & Receiver General " " "
Auditor of the Commonwealth " " "
Attorney General " " "
Councillor for 7th Councillor District
Senator for 4th Senatorial District
Two Representatives in General Court for 9th Representative Dist
County Commissioner for Worcester County
Two Associate Commissioners for Worcester County
District Attorney for Worcester District

and for the election of the following officers:

District Member of State Committee for each political party for 4th Senatorial District
Four Members of the Democratic Town Committee
Four Members of the Republican Town Committee
Delegates to State Conventions of both Political Parties

All the above candidates and officers to be voted for upon one ballot.

The Polls will be open from seven P.M. to nine P.M.

and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this fifth day of September, A.D. 1919.

Raymond P. Pearson
Francis D. Hurley
Lyman Polmerly
Selectmen of Southborough

Worcester ss Southborough Mass. Sept. 13, 1919

I have posted this warrant as herein directed by posting one copy in store and Post Office in Southboro Center store and Post Office in Fayville Store and Postoffice in Cordaville and Store and Post office in Southville and several other conspicuous places.

Lyman Polmerly
Constable of Southborough

A true Copy of Warrant and officers returns,
Attest:
Charles F. Newton
Town Clerk

Primary Election September 1919

Southborough Sept. 23, 1919

In accordance with the preceding warrant the voters of Southborough qualified to vote in Primaries met in the Town Hall at 7 O'clock in the evening of September 23, 1919.

The Town Clerk acting for the Presiding Election Officer read the warrant and the Constables return of service thereon.

The election officers previously appointed by the Selectmen, consisting of

Andrew R. Sullivan
Harry A. McMaster
Thomas J. Neary
James G. Stockwell
DeWitton Nichols
Lowell Bacon and
Robert F. Cheney

were qualified by the Town Clerk two were stationed at the Ballot table check list, two at the Ballot Box Check list, one at the Ballot Box, the remainder acting as substitutes.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty. The Presiding Officer ordered Constable Hildreth to close and lock the Ballot Box at once and to retain the key in his custody.

The register on the Ballot Box showed 0000.

Ballots from the Secretary of the Commonwealth were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exits from the polls. at seven o'clock the polls were declared open, at nine five o'clock they were declared closed, having been kept open at least two hours.

At the Ballot Clerks table One hundred and two names of Registered Voters were

Checked as having been given ballots and One hundred and two names of voters were checked at the Ballot Box Check list as having deposited ballots in the Ballot Box.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed [illegible]

There were One hundred and Two ballots taken from the Ballot Box by the Presiding Election officer

87 Republican
15 Democratic

The counting proceeded as by Law directed and public declaration made as follows:

Republican Candidates

For Governor — Calvin Coolidge of 21 Massasoit St. Northampton — had 90 votes, 9 blanks

For Lieut. Gov. — Channing H. Cox of 90 Fenway, Boston — had 93 votes, 8 blanks

For Secretary — Albert P. Langtry of 140 Chestnut St Springfield — had 98 votes, 9 blanks

For Treasurer —
Fred L. Burrell of 230 Salem St. Medford — had 84 votes
Charles L. Gifford of Barnstable — had 9 votes
Fred P. Greenwood of 20 Perry St. Everett — had 7½ votes
Frederick W. Rice of [illegible] Worcester — had 1 vote
Frank S. Perkins of 84 Pleasant St. Salem — had 25 votes
Frederick E. Peirce of 58 Congress St. Greenfield — had 5 votes, 8 blanks

For Auditor — Alonzo B. Cook of 19 Parkview St. Boston — had 77 votes, 10 blanks

For Attorney-General —
J. Weston Allen of 219 Lake Avenue Newton — had 92 votes
Robert T. Nottonig of 20 Lakeside Place, Boston — had 14 votes
Samuel Hoar, Concord of 27 Reservoir Ave. Newton — had 1 vote
William Harold Hitchcock of [illegible] Dedham — had 5 votes
Clarence W. Bailey of 27 Englewood Ave. Boston — had 6 votes
David Thoreau of 782 Audubon Rd. Boston — had 3 votes, 10 blanks

For Councillor 7th Dist	Matthew J. Whittall 692 Southbridge St. Worcester	had 7 votes
	16 blanks	
Senator 4th Worc Dist	Francis Prescott of Old Upton Road, Grafton	had 24 votes
	13 blanks	
Representatives in General Court 4th Worc Dist	Elbert M. Crockett of 45 Forest St Milford	had 17 votes
	Charles W. Tousd of 15 Grand St Milford	had 41 votes
	William E. Johnson of 15 Parkman St Westboro	had 41 votes
	Jeremiah D. Keating of 24 Ea Main St. Westboro	had 41 votes
	Lyndhurst A. MacGregor of Cedar St. Milford	had 20 votes
	14 blanks	
County Comr	George W. Cook of Summer St. Barre	had 96 votes
	11 blanks	
Associate Commissioner	- - - - - - - -	
	174 blanks	
Dist Attorney	Edward J. Estey of 25 Elm St Worcester	had 96 votes
	14 blanks	
State Committee	Stanley H. Wheelock of North Main St. Upton	had 90 votes
	17 blanks	
Delegates to State Convention	Lyman Follansby	had 5 votes
	Francis D. Newton	had 10 votes
	Chas. F. Choate Jr.	had 7 votes
	Raymond H. Dodson	had 2 votes
	A. E. Wright	had 1 vote
	Burnett	had 1 vote
	95 blanks	
Town Committee	Augustus E. Wright of Oak Hill Rd	had 95 votes
	Lyman Follansby of Woodland Rd	had 90 votes
	Samuel F. Drake of Central St.	had 47 votes
	Francis D. Newton of Central St.	had 47 votes
	Chas. F. Choate Jr. of Main St	had 7 votes
	Carl R. Lindstrom	had 1 vote
	Gertrude E. Carpenter	had 1 vote

Fleichtner — had 1 vote
Healey — had 1 vote

228 blanks

Democratic Candidates

For Governor

Frederick L. Deitreck 1664 Mass. Ave. Cambridge — had 2 votes
Eugene N. Foss 11 Revere St. Boston — had 2 votes
Richard H. Long Winter St. Framingham — had 1 vote
George F. Monahan 26 Monument Ave. Boston — had 2 votes

10 blanks

Lieut. Gov. — John F. J. Herbert 749 Pleasant St Worcester — had 13 votes
2 blanks

Secretary — Charles H. McGlue 45 Suffolk St Lynn — had 2 votes
1 blank

Treasurer — Chandler M. Wood 12 Sheffield Road Winchester — had 12 votes
3 blanks

Auditor — Arthur J. B. Cartier 1107 South Main St. Fall River — had 13 votes
2 blanks

Atty Gen'l. — Joseph A. Conry Rockwood St. Boston — had 12 votes
3 blanks

Councillor 7th Dist.

15 blanks

Senator 4th Worc — John E Welch — had 1 vote
William Murray — had 1 vote

13 blanks

Rep in Gen'l Court 9th Dist — Keating — had 1 vote

14 blanks

County Commissioner — Wm F Foley 167 Pleasant St Worcester — had 12 votes

3 blanks

Rep Committeeman

All blanks

District Atty John H. O'Brien 34 Williams St. Worcester 12 votes
8 blanks

State Committee

All blanks

Delegate to State Convention

L. H. Howes	had 2 votes
John Welch	had 2 votes
J. J. Neary	had 1 vote
Robt Howes	had 1 vote
F. D. Newton	had 1 vote

8 blanks

Town Committee

J. J. Welch	had 8 votes X
P. M. Salmon	had 1 vote
J. J. Burke	had 2 votes
C. E. Bagley	had 2 votes
F. McNeil	had 8 votes X
J. J. Neary	had 8 votes X
H. McDonald	had 1 vote
A. Sullivan	had 1 vote
D. Vaughan	had 2 votes
D. Harrington	had 1 vote
S. Howes	had 2 votes
Wm Bagley	had 1 vote
C. Carpenter	had 1 vote
F. D. Newton	had 1 vote
W. J. Boland	had 1 vote
M. Maley	had 1 vote

The ballots cast were sealed in packages, the tally sheets signed and the Primary Election was dissolved.

The returns were made out and sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

Lowell Mass Oct 7 1919

To Charles H. Newton Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen held this day - the following persons were appointed Election Officers to serve at the Annual State Election to be held Tuesday November 4th 1919.

Andrew K. Sullivan — Henry M. Rogers
Thomas J. Neary — John E. Carpenter
Harry G. McMasters — Robert H. Jones
James G. Stockwell — Wm. J. Burnett

for Constables to serve at said time
Charles E. Fildreth and Lyman Polleyea

Yours very truly
Chas. H. Newton
Clerk Bd of Selectmen

Warrant for November Election 1919

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester SS

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Elections to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Tuesday November 4th next

at seven o'clock in the forenoon Then and there to bring in their votes to the Selectmen for:

Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Councillor, Senator, Two Representatives in General Court, County Commissioner, Associate County Commissioner and District Attorney, and to vote yes or No on the following questions.

Acceptance of the rearrangment of the Constitution of the Commonwealth, submitted by the Constitutional Convention.

Acceptance of Chap. 311, General Acts of 1919, entitled, "An Act relating to the establishment and Maintenance of Continuation schools and courses of instruction for employed Minors."

Acceptance of Chap. 116, General Acts of 1919, entitled, "An Act to authorize Savings Banks and institutions for Savings and trust companies having savings departments to place deposits on interest monthly". (Referendum)

Question of Public Policy under Chap. 819, Acts of 1913. "Shall the Senator from this district be instructed to vote for legislation to regulate and license the manufacture and sale of beverages containing not over four per cent alcohol by weight and to define the same to be non-intoxicating?"

Question of Public Policy under Chap. 819, Acts of 1913. "Shall the Representative from this district be instructed to vote for legislation to regulate and license the manufacture and sale of beverages containing not over four per cent of alcohol by weight and to define the same to be non-intoxicating?"

The Polls will be open at seven o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at four o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are to give notice hereof by posting up this and attested copies of this warrant at the Town Hall, Northborough Post Offices and three other Public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting and by publishing the same in the Northborough Chronotype.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-third day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

Raymond P. Dodson
Francis W. Newton
Lyman Holcomb
Selectmen of Southborough

Southborough Oct 7, 1919

I have served this Warrant as herein directed by posting up this and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town Hall, Northborough Post Offices and three other Public and conspicuous places in said Town seven days at least before the time set for said meeting; and have caused the same to be published in the Northborough Chronotype.

Charles C. Nichols
Constable of Southborough

A true copy, Attest:
Charles H. Hayden
Town Clerk

November Election 1919

In accordance with the preceding Warrant the voters of Voretus Borough qualified to vote in elections, met at the time and the place, and for the purpose therein mentioned.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk, who read the Warrant and the officers return of service thereon.

The Ballot Clerks and Tellers previously appointed by the Selectmen, Consisting of;

Andrew R. Sullivan	Henry M. Rogers
Thomas J. Neary	John L. Carpenter
Harry A. McMaster	Herbert W. Jones
James G. Stockwell	Fontenelle E. Carpenter

Were qualified before the Town Clerk

A package supposed to contain 500 Official Ballots was delivered by the Town Clerk to the Ballot Clerks and their receipt taken therefor.

The Ballot Box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, it was closed and locked by Constable Kildreth who retained the key.

The Ballot Clerks were stationed at their respective tables with their check lists.

Constables were stationed at the entrance to and exits from the polling place, and at fully before 7 O'Clock A.M. the polls were declared open for balloting.

The register on the Ballot Box showed 0000

At Eight forty five O'Clock in the forenoon it was voted; The Selectmen, Town Clerk and all the Election officers being present, that Ballots be taken from the Ballot Box, in order that Counting might Commence;

At 8-45 A.M. 50 ballots to remain
9-20 A.M. 100 " " "
11-[illegible] A.M. 50 " " "
2-00 P.M. 100 " " "
3-00 P.M. 50 " " "
4-00 P.M. 11 " " "
Total 361 " " "

The polls were closed 4-10 P.M.

The Register on the Ballot Box showed [illegible] 361

The Ballot Clerks check list showed the names of 361 voters checked as having been given ballots.

The Ballot Box Clerks check list showed the names of 361 voters checked as having deposited they ballots.

When the counting of the ballots cast was completed, public declaration thereof was made as required by law, and was as follows:

For Governor

R.	Calvin Coolidge - of Northampton	had two hundred sixty votes	260
P.	Charles B. Ernst - of Worcester	had one vote	01
S.	William G. King - of Springfield	had one vote	01
D.	Richard H. Long - of Framingham	had eighty-nine votes	87
S.L.	Ingvar Paulsen - of Boston	had no votes	00
		Blanks	10
			361

Lieutenant Governor

S	Charles G. Brandt - of Brockton	had three votes	03
R.	Channing H. Cox - of Boston	had two hundred forty-seven votes	247
P.	J. Edward Gordon - of Boston	had one vote	1
D.	John F.L. Herbert of Worcester	had ninety-three votes	93
S.L.	Patrick Mulligan of Boston	had two votes	2
		Blanks	15
			361

For Secretary

D.	Harry W. Bowman - of Boston	had two votes	2
S. L.	James Hayes - of Plymouth	had two votes	2
R.	Albert P. Langley - of Springfield	had two hundred forty-eight	248
D.	Charles H. McGinn - of Lynn	had Eighty one votes	81
S	Herbert H. Thompson - of Haverhill	had three votes	3
		blanks	25
			361

For Treasurer -

R.	Fred J. Burrell - of Medford	had two hundred four votes	204
S. L.	David Craig - of Milford	had one vote	1
D.	Charles D. Fletcher - of Somerville	had five votes	5
S.	Louis Marcus - of Boston	had one vote	1
D.	Chandler M. Wood - of Winchester	had one hundred twenty two votes	122
		blanks	28
			361

For Auditor

D.	Arthur J. B. Cartier - of Fall River	had ninety-three votes	93
R.	Alonzo B. Cook - of Boston	had two hundred and thirty-three votes	233
S L	Oscar Kinsalas - of Springfield	had two votes	2
S.	Walter P. J. Shahan - of Springfield	had one vote	1
P.	Henry J. D. Small - of Boston	had two votes	2
		blanks	30
			361

For Attorney - General

R.	J. Weston Allen - of Newton	had two hundred and fifty-one votes	251
S. L.	Morris S. Becker - of Chelsea	had one vote	1
D.	Joseph A. Conry - of Boston	had seventy-four votes	74
P.	Conrad W. Crooker - of Melrose	had six votes	6
S	William R. Henry - of Lynn	had one vote	1
		blanks	28
			361

For Councillor 7th Dist.

R.	Matthew L. Whittall - of Worcester	had two hundred sixty-six	266
		blanks	95
			361

For Senator — 5th Worcester District

R. Francis Prescott - of Grafton — had two hundred sixty-three votes — 263

Blanks — 98

361

For Representatives in General Court — Worcester District

R. Charles W. Gould - of Milford — had two hundred thirty-six votes — 236

R. Jeremiah J. Keating - of Northboro — had two hundred and forty votes — 241

D. William F. Moloney - of Milford — had seventy-eight votes — 78

Blanks — 7

322

For County Commissioner — Worcester County

R. George W. Cook - of Barre — had two hundred forty-nine votes — 249

D. William D. Foley - of Worcester — had seventy-six votes — 76

Blanks — 36

361

For Associate Commissioners — Worcester County

C. R. Lindstrom — had one vote — 1

Blanks — 360

361

For District Attorney — Fifth District

R. Edward J. Esty - of Worcester — had two hundred forty-nine votes — 249

D. John H. O'Brien - of Worcester — had eighty-three votes — 83

Blanks — 29

361

Referendum I — "Shall the rearrangement of the Constitution of the Commonwealth, submitted by the Constitutional Convention, be approved and ratified?"

Yes — one hundred seventy-eight votes — 178

No — forty votes — 40

Blanks — 43

361

Referendum II — "Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and nineteen entitled 'An Act relating to the establishment and maintenance of continuation schools and courses of instruction for employed minors' be accepted?"

Yes

No

Referendum III

Shall chapter 116, General Acts of 1919, approved by the General Court without division, which provides that deposits in savings banks and savings departments of trust companies may be placed on interest once a month and not oftener; that dividends on such deposits may be declared semi-annually and not oftener, and that interest shall not be paid on any such deposits withdrawn between dividend days, be approved?

Yes	One hundred and sixty-seven votes	167
No	sixty-nine votes	69
	blanks	125
		361

Referendum IV

Shall the representatives from this district be instructed to vote for legislation to regulate and license the manufacture and sale of beverages containing not over four per cent of alcohol by weight and to define same to be non-intoxicating?"

Yes	One hundred eighty-six	186
No	One hundred and two	102
	blanks	73
		361

Voted the election dissolved

Charles H. Newton
Town Clerk

The returns were copied on proper blanks signed by the Selectmen and Town Clerk and duly mailed to the Secretary of the Commonwealth and to the Clerk of Courts at Worcester.

Chas. H. Newton
Town Clerk

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

Grafton, November 14, 1919

In compliance with Sections 322-325 inclusive of Chapter 825, Acts of 1913, We the Town Clerks of the towns of Grafton, Milford, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Upton and Westborough, which towns constitute the Ninth Worcester Representative District, this day met at the office of the town clerk in said Grafton, and canvassed the returns of voters in said towns for two Representatives in the General Court, to be holden in Boston on the first Wednesday of January next. Said voters were returned to us as by law required and were given in at a legal meeting held in each of said towns for that purpose on the 04th day of November A.D. 1919, and was shown by the following tabular statement:-

	Grafton	Milford	Shrewsbury	Southborough	Upton	Westborough	Total
Charles H. Gould of Milford had	567,	821	379,	286,	260	608,	= 2861
Jeremiah P. Keating of Westborough had	553,	701,	357,	249,	212,	718,	= 2790
William F. Moloney of Milford had	154,	1290,	50,	28,	56,	182,	= 1810
Scattering		1,					= 1
Blanks	398,	1236,	198,	159,	114,	290,	1394
Totals	1672,	4048,	984,	722,	632,	1798,	9856

Charles W. Gould of Milford and Jeremiah P. Keating of Westborough having received the largest number of votes, were declared elected, and to them were certificates issued, also a duplicate certificate sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth as the law requires.

In witness whereof, We the Town Clerks of Grafton, Milford, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Upton and Westborough, have hereunto set our names this 14th day of November 1919.

Attest:

Edwin A. Howe Town Clerk of Grafton.

Dennis J. Sullivan	Town Clerk	of Milford
Alden G. Stone	Town Clerk	of Shrewsbury
Charles H. Newton	Town Clerk	of Southborough
John B. Fay	Town Clerk	of Upton
Joseph L. Gates	Town Clerk	of Westborough

A true copy. Attest:

Charles H. Newton, Town Clerk
of
Southborough

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October 2007

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